ONT.

TUESDAY

DECEMBER

NO. 283

### THE HOLIDAY SHOPPING CENTRE OF CHATHAM.

\*

For USEFUL GIFTS this Store is the Shopping Centre of Chatham and Kent County. When you are making a Holiday Gift give something useful, something that will be appreciated, something that will remain in the possession of the recipient for many moons. For this very something come to this Store. What we sell you will be new, will be entirely up-tc-date, will be good value.

#### Umbrellas.

Our Christmas Assortment of Umbrellas for Ladies and Gentlemen is here, just arrived, crisp, new, attractive, new handles, good coverings, stylish appearance, \$1.00 to \$5.00.

#### Blankets.

When you give a pair of Blankets you give something worth while. We have Blankets fit for the Queen to use, and at very moderate prices. Special value at a pair, \$3.00 to \$6.50.

#### Furs.

When you buy a piece of Fur you must largely depend for its value on the firm from whom you buy it. Nothing is harder to judge than a piece of fur. We stand behind every piece of fur we sell, and can show you a magnificent range of Neck Furs, Muffs, and Fur Jackets. Special noliday values in Neck Furs, Ruffs, and Stoles, \$5.00 to

#### Children's Coats.

Children's Coats, made of white bear cloth trimmed and plain, warm lined, all sizes, to fit children 6 months to 5 years, very special values, \$2.00 to

#### Handkerchiefs.

Our assortment of Handker-kerchiefs is very complete and ready for your holiday selections. Fine Lunen Handkerchiefs for Ladies and Gentlemen, neatly

boxed, 3, 6, and 12 in a box. Embroidered Handkerchiefs in enormous variety, and at all prices. Special values at 5c to

#### Fancy Ligens.

A pretty and immense assortment of Doylies, Tray Cloths, 5 o'Clock Covers, Duchesse Covers, Sideboard Drapes, Run-ners, Etc. in Teneriffe work, Irish drawn work, and in Fine Damask Linen. Any price you are prepared to pay you will find in our Fancy Linens, 5c to \$5.00.

### THOS. STONE & SON

Carpets and Wall Papers

\*



JA BRENT

Fiano instruction and its odern developments. Sludio : Wellington St., Mrs. Fields Organist First Presbyterian Church

ORCHESTRA

PH

e Grand Opera House Orchestra can the any number of musicians for private es or entertainments in city or country

THE FASTERAINS

To California are ran over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours quicker to San Francisco than any other line. No change of roads, no detours, "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A. 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

Any person destring good house with all modern conveniences, heated by good furnate, would do well to call on W. E. Riapin, 115 King St., who has two houses to rent in Riverside Terrace. He also has room, heated by steam, suitable for office, to rent in his office building at 115 King St.

#### For Alderman.

Chatham, Oct., 12th Dec., 1905.

To the Ratepayers of Chatham '-

LADIES AND GENTLEMEN-

I am a candidate for the position of Alderman for the year 1906. If you approve of my actions in Council during the past year I would respectfully ask for your vote and influence at the coming Election. I do not intend making any personal canvas as I believe where there is no question at issue between the candidates that the Electors should be free to vote for the men they think will serve the city best.

Wishing you the compliments of the season, I re-

Yours sincerely,

#### CHAS. AUSTIN.

For your China for Christmas where you will be pleased with a variety of pretty goods at prices you don't dream of every day. Call and take a look at our Lamps, Dinner Sets, Chamber Sets and Glass Goods, A big Clearing Sale, with 6 per cent, reduction on all the above goods for 26 days. Come early and take your choice.

## EHS

as order for Groceries. Best Select Raisins, 8c. 3 lbs. Cleaned Currents, 25c. Lemon, Orange and Citron Peck, nixed, 15c. to 20c. per lb.

New season's Mixed Nuts, 15c. per

New Dates, 7c. per lb. New Figs, 5c. per lb. 3 lbs. Mixed Candy for 25c Cream Candy, 12c. per lb. Chocolates, 12c, per lb. Mince Meat, 9c. per lb. 3 lbs. Prunes, 25c. 2 lbs. Pure Lard, 25c. Soda Biscuits, 8c. Ginger Snaps, 6c. per lb

#### John McConnell,

I ark St. Phone 190

#### Human Hair, Switches, Braids, &c.

or cut off. Old Hair Goods Made Over, Colored, and Hair Added

Twenty Years Experience Hair Goods for Colored People

Princess Street, Second Door from Park Street, CHATHAM

#### 'The YELLOWSTONE, NATIONAL PARK

Is something absolutely unique in this world,"—
President Buosevelt.

The popular route to this delightful spct' is via Union Pacificato Monida, thence by stage to all points in the

The stage ride from Monida, by the splendfd Concord Coaches of the Monida & Yellowstone 3 tage Co., through scenery hardly in-ferior to the park itself.

Very ion rates during June, July, August and September.

F. B. OHOATE, G. A., DETROIT, MICH.

Homestake Extension Mining Company Have Plans for New (100) Hundred Stamp Mill. GEO. BEECH.

Starting Off It Threw Levi Quirk Against an Iron Pulley.

Died In Twenty Minutes After Be ing Struck - Accident Occurred During Noon Hour While Chattin With Another Engineer, at the To rento and Niagara Power Works.

Niagara Falls, Dec. 12.-Levi Quirk, one o'clock yesterday by having been eaught in the belting of a stone crusher being run by a steam engine.

Quirk was sitting on the belt with his feet on the ground, chatting with an engineer of another engine just before one o'clock, the engines having been shut off during the noon hour.

The engineer remarked to Quirk it was time the engines should start, and went to his engine, leaving Quirk sitting on the belt. In the meantime the engineer of the engine running the belt one o'clock yesterday by having been ting on the belt. In the meantime the engineer of the engine running the belt that Quirk was sitting on, went to his engine on the opposite side and, not noticing Quirk, started up his engine. It threw Quirk up against the iron pulley, his head striking the engine. Quirk screamed and the engineer shut off, but too late. One side of Quirk's body was squeezed in between the belt and pulley. When he was extricated he was unconscious and lived but 20 minutes. Quirk came here from Montreal Quirk came here from Montreal about two years ago to work on the power works. He has a brother em-ployed on the American side of the river.

#### BOTH ARMS TORN OFF.

Boy Meets Terrible Death In Merritton Paper Mill Shafting.

Merritton, Dec. 12.-At 4.36 yester day afternoon, in the Lincoln paper mills, Wm. Webster, a youth of 15 years, was almost instantly killed. He was engaged in putting on a belt, and in some way was caught and tak-en over the shaft.

Both arms were torn from the body,

and he was also crushed. The young man lived with his parents in St. Catharines, and had only been in this country about eight weeks.

T. W. Rainie Killed.

T. W. Rainie Killed.

Campbellford, Dec. 12.—Early Sunday afternoon T. W. Rainie, a well-known resident, left the house by a side door, and was in the act of descending the steps when he was selzed with a stroke. He fell down the steps, receiving injuries about an hour later. He was 62 years old.

Weodbridge Man Asphyxiated.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—Charles Robertson, aged 25, while climbing a hill in Johnson's bush yesterday, had the misfortune to have the charge from his gan enter his left wrist while the hand was extended to grasp a limb. Dr. Peters

extended to grasp a limb. Dr. Peters decided that amputation was neces-sary, and operated upon young Robert-son half an hour later. Robert Gibbons of Woodbridge, aged 23 was asphyriated, in the New Arm Hotel, Toronto, during Saturday

## DEATH CAME

The Unfortunate Young Noah Peltier mbed at an Early Hour This Morning

At three o'clock this morning Noah Peltier, the young man who shot himself in Wilson's bush on Sunday afternoon, passed peacefully away.

The bullets both pierced the left side near the heart, one going right through the body to the hack. Loss of blood and the deadly wounds were too much for the skilled physicians who cannot to asset the life cians who sought to save the life which had been sacrificed, and death came very quietly, the deceased sleep-

which had been sacrificed, and death came very quietly, the deceased sleeping away.

The deceased young man was 27 years of age, and has, up to the time of his death, be n employed at Gray's factory. He is a son of Alex Peltier, of Dover.

The funeral will take place for

### SAT ON BELT OF ENGINE HOW MONEY MAY BE SAVED ON CITY BOARD OF WORKS

Ald. O'Keefe, Civic Minister of Public Works, Submits Valuable Suggestions to Successor-Many Important Improvements in Present Faulty System -Other Matters at Busy Council

"It is a very serious-very start- | We would also suggest that gation of our work and the system under which we operate that the conviction forced itself upon me. A conservative comparative estimate of the money the city spends annually, and of what we have to show for it the money spent is practically thrown away. This, I believe, is largely to be laid to the door of the faulty system under which we operate-and it is with this end in view that the retiring Board of Works have submitted certain suggestions which we would earnestly urge upon our suc-

Such was the comment of Ald. J Such was the comment of Ald. J. T. O'Keefe, the Maple City's Minister of Public Works, at the conclusion of the City Council meeting last evening, when many citizens present took occasion to congratulate him upon the clear, forceful and economic policy he had suggested for the tuture guidance for the great spending department of our civic service. full text of Ald. O'Keefe's valuable address was as follows: To the Mayor and Council of the

Therefore, we would strongly recommend that an engineer be employed to lay out all the work that is
required to be done by an engineer,
giving full details and specifications.
Then we would suggest that a good
practical man be employed to carry
out the engineer's instructions and
specifications. By this means we
think the engineering work could be
done at a very reasonable cost, as practical man be employed to carry out the engineer's instructions and specifications. By this means we think the engineering work could be done at a very reasonable cost, as the engineer would not have to spend and time on the streets in looking after the work. We would suggest that the superintendent appointed by the city have full charge of all the work done by the corporation and be responsible to the city. We would recommend that a good, fair salary be paid this man in order to induce first class men to apply for the position. This superintendent could then select a foreman from the corporation laborers most capable of looking after the particular jobs he places fiim at. By offering this subforeman a little extra wages he could look after the other men on his job and also do his share of the work. He would be responsible to our superintendent to see that his instructions were carried out and that the men all did their duty. By this means we could dispense with inspectors who are quite often. In the superintendent in section, the most important work done by the city, we would suggest to say that when assuming this work done by the city, we would suggest that the work done is a superintendent of the condition of the gratitude of the city.

Was all pavements are paid for the condition of last evening is the condition of last evening is the condition. The condition is a pavement of the gratitude of the city we think it only a slight acknowledgment of the gratitude of the city.

As the sewer question is in our estimation, the most important work done by the city, we would suggest that the work done by the city, we would suggest that the work done by the city, we would suggest that the work done is a control of the condition of the condition of the gratitude of the city.

In conclusion as an excuse for offering the above suggestions to the some by the whole city.

In conclusion as an excuse for offering the above suggestions to the some by the city, we would be great that the went assuming this that the men all

for the first will take place for morrow morning at in inc colock.

As the sewer question is in our here important work done by the city, we would suggest that the Council get in communication is now marring as managerian and how to construct the council get in communication is now marring as managerian and how to construct the work of a school that has a litting home for the work of a school that has always shool for the highest and best into a school that has a suwy as the old continued in the continued for the highest and best into the school, therefore, through this last forward move, hold a unique position and may be made to take on a server and the work of a school therefore, through this last forward move, hold a unique position and may be made to the continuent. It the force matrix as in the work of an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work and may be possible to the continuent. It therefore matrix as in the work of an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work and the responsible to an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work of an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work and the responsible to a server and manager in the work and the responsible to the continuent. It therefore matrix as in the work of an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work and the regular warges paid to laborere the continuent. It therefore matrix as in the work and the responsible to the continuent in the work of an institution that for nearly a third of a contrary has always been in the work as often as possible and it they seek it is find being aging and proper layers. The possible is considered to the continuent of the continuent in the work as often as appeared to the continuent of the contrary has always been in the work as often as a p

ling-statement, and it is only after a most minute and careful investisystem the contractor is obliged to sweep certain streets a certain number of times each week. Sometimes this is not necessary, other times it has convinced me that one-third of is not sufficient, but by doing th is not sufficient, but by doing the work by day labor the streets can be kept in good condition all the time, and we think at much less expense than by the present system. By this means we oring all the city work under one management and a competent superintendent should be able to so arrange the work that the city will get full value for every dollar spent.

> It would be the duty of the superintendent to keep a correct accoun of all labor and expenses expended on each street and for said work. It would also be his duty to make a full written report each week to the Board of Works of all work being done and general outline of the work he intended taking up the following week, thereby enabling the B. of W. to keep in touch with the situation and to advise when they thought necessary.
>
> Now we come to the point where

lar spent.

valuable address was as follows:
To the Mayor and Councl of the City of Chatham:

In accordance with your request, made at last meeting, in regard to bringing in a report offering some suggestions whereby the work done by the city could be improved upon, we beg to submit the following suggestions.

After a careful review of all the work done by the city the past year, we feel that an improvement might be made in the manner of doing said work. We think a great deal of money is squandered in not having the work properly managed. By this statement we do not wish it to be understood that the present officials have not done their duty, but we do think that the present officials have not done their duty, but we do think that the present officials have not done their duty, but we do think that the present system of one man doing the engineering work and looking after all the other work is wrong, as, owing to the great many varieties of work on hand, it, is impossible for him to give the proper attention to all the work proper attention to all the work and looking after all the other work is wrong, as, owing to the great many varieties of work on hand, it, is impossible for him to give the proper attention to all the work and looking after all the other work is wrong, as, owing to the great many varieties of work on hand, it, is impossible for him to give the proper attention to all the work and looking after all the other work is wrong, as, owing to the great many varieties of work on hand, it, is impossible for him to give the proper attention to all the work and looking after all the work of the day having probof one man doing the engineer work and looking after all the other work is wrong, as, owing to the great many varieties of work on hand, it is impossible for him to give the proper attention to all the work in order to obtain the best results for the least expense.

Therefore, we would strongly recommend that an engineer be employed advantage of the ratepayers and also believe the B. of W. of a great deal of unnecessary work.

Now, in order to enable the B of work of the work is work.

of unnecessary work, Now, in order to enable the B. of W. to ascertain whether all the work was done in an economical manner or not, we would suggest that the superintendent keep an accurate ac-

### **CUPID AND BANK FUNDS**

E. S. Banwell's Ambition to Be Married Causes Downfall.

Missing and Supposed to Have Stoler \$1,487 In Gold and \$20,000 In Unsigned \$50 Bank Bills From Crown Bank-Was Paying Teller and Mar-ried Girl of His Choice-Have Not Been Seen Since Sunday.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—An ambition get married without the necessary funds at his disposal is supposed to have caused E. S. Banwell, paying teller in the Crown Bank here, to steal \$1.487 in gold and \$20,000 in unsigned \$50 bank bills. He was reported to be missing yesterday. His fiancee, Mis Nora Hector of Erindale, is also miss

The theft took place on Saturday afternoon when the gold with 400 unsigned notes, Nos. 601 to 1,000, were signed notes, Nos. 601 to 1,000, were taken. It is thought that after his accounts were checked over by the other teller, Young Banwell made his touch on the gold in the cash box attached to his department, which was that of paying teller. Then the box was locked and placed in the vault, according to custom.

to custom.

While the young man was in the vault he put the package of unsignatous into his pocket. The package was not more than two inches thick, and so would not attract attention. His taking unsigned notes when plenty of others fully signed were ready at hand, is peculiar.

On going out of the bank he took the train to his home in Port Credit, where he has been supporting his mo-ther and invalid father for some years On leaving the house later in the after-noon he told them he was going to Erindale, five miles away. This was quite usual.

quite usual.

In the meantime Miss Hector was filling in her part of the program. Early in the morning she went to the Erindale postoffice for her letters. On returning to her home she said she was going into Port Credit, and off she went. Doubtless the young couple me somewhere in Port Credit and came of to Toronto.

Late Sunday afternoon, T. H. Hecto

the father of the girl, had a message from a mutual friend of the family in to, stating that the young couple

morning, J. A. Beady, the local man-ager, received a message from Ban-well's parents, stating that he had gone to Erindale and had falled to re-turn in time to catch his train. The bank, however, did not realize that anything was wrong until mi when his accounts were examin cash box was immediately found to be cash box was immediately found to be \$1,487 short, although the balance made up on Saturday afternoon showed that the amount was included. On further investigation, the unsigned notes were found to be missing. They, however, need the signature of G. DeC. O'Grady, the sangeral manager, before they be-

need the signature of G. Dec. O'Grady, the general manager, before they become legally negotiable, although by forgery, they may become passable.

The eloping couple belong to well-known families. The missing man was supposed to be of exemplary character. Nothing has been heard of the missing couple since Sunday, when they were in Toronto and caused the message to be sent to Erindale. The bank's loss is covered in a guarantee company.

Ald. Marshall Host at a Delightful trict was also extended to Rev. G. Civic Supper—Colleagues Tender Monroe, Jr.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

FOR YOU TO COME AND

### Select Your Christmas Toys and Presents.

Our Stock is now Comolete. Everything for the Human Family from Babe to Old Age. The Most Complete and Upto-date Stock in Canada.

"The Store With the Stock."

FOLLOW THE WISE ONES TO

SULMAN'S BEEHIVE, 6th Sts.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* TWO CALLS

Chatham Presbytery Consider Requests for Pastors at To-day's

The Chatham Presbytery held a hort and business-like session at the First Presbyterian church this morn-

Two calls were considered. Bethet congregation of the London Presbytery extended a call to Rev. Dr. Monroe, of Ridgetown. The congregation was cited to appear in its own interests at a special meeting of Presbytery to be held in two weeks.

A call from the Blytheswood dis Routine business completed the work of the sittings,

## HOCKEY ...SHOES



For Men at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 For Boys at \$1.25 and \$1.50 For Ladies at \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 Call for Free Catalogue.

## Wm. Somerville & Son

A Doors West of Market

Dool, Hard and Soft Wood Slabs and Kindling at Lowest Prices. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL)

### LOCAL BUDGET

Bicycles stored at Briscos'. Thomas Burley, of Merlin, spent Saturday in the city. Alex. Tait, of Blenheim, Chatham visitor on Saturday.

C. H. Gordon, of Dresden, called on his Chatham friends yesterday. Capt. As a Ribble, Mayor of Dresden, was a visitor in the city on Saturday.

Agnes Grose was fined \$7 in all at the Police Court for being drunk and disorderly.

John S. Fraser and W. T. Cochrane of Wallaceburg, were Chatham visi-tors on Saturday.

Miss Ruby Gordon, of Wallaceburg, spent Sunday in the city the guest of Miss Mary McKeough.

Mr. Remmington, of this city, who has been attending the Canada Business College, has accepted a position with the Canada Casket Company, of Isn't it rather foolish to allow

house to stand idle in this city when there is a real scarcity of desirable places, and renters are watching the ads. with "eagle-eyes?" Some boys broke into St. Andrew's church some time last week and stole some fixtures off one of the doors,

The police have been notified of the deed but no clue has yet been found. At the morning service in the Park street Methodist church Sunday a quartette composed of Mrs. Bogart, Miss Holllnrake and Messrs. Hollman and Butler, gave a very pleasing selection. In the evening Miss Hollinrake rendered a fine solo in excellent style.



"All the world's a stage and all the men and women merely players."

#### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

At The Grand-

Vitograph Concert-Dec. 15 (Supplied to The Planet by Pres

Agents). The American Vitograph Co. that comes to the Grand Opera House Friday and Saturday, Dec. 15th and 16th, has the most perfect moving picture machine on the market, and is so proved by its being found in every first class vaudeville house in the States.

every first class vaudeville house in the States.

The pictures are all new and up-to-date, and there is absolutely none of that distressing flicker found in

of that distressing flicker found in other machines.

Along with the pictures Mr. F. Kirk Schilling, baritone soloist, of New York, is singing illustrated songs, and it is a pleasure to listen to his beautiful voice.

Pairson have hear arranged at 15.

Prices have been arranged at 15, 5 and 35 cents; Saturday matinee 0 and 25 cents.

#### GUILD MEETING

The Christ Church Senior Guild the Christ Church Senior Guild held a meeting on Wednesday, D.c. 6th, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Prin-gle, Stanley avenue. The report of the At Home, recent-ly held at the home of Mrs. Rispin,

vas most satisfactory.

After l'ght refreshments, the meetng adjourned to meet in January at
he residence of Mrs. J. C. Pritchard.

#### TEMPERANCE

A well attended gospel temperance meeting was given in the I. O. O. F. Auditorium Sunday afternoon and a successful service was held.

Rev. J. W. Hoyt gave a very interesting address on temperance and W. E. Gundy sang a solo. The orchestra gave a number of fine selections. Alexander Hall acted as chairman during the meeting.

#### ELECTION OFOFFICERS

The following was the result of the election of officers for Court Kent, Canadian Order of Foresters: P. C. R.—Mr. Bradden. C. R.—Mr. Bradden. V. C. R.—Mr. Wanless. Treasurer—James E. Gray. Financial Secretary—Mr. Hodges. Recording Secretary—J. U. Thibodeau.

Woodwards-Messrs, Smithson

Senior. Beadle—S. Anquetil.
Junior Beadle—Mr. Eberts.
Trustees—Messrs. Arnold, Steen an

D. Anquetil. Court Physician—Dr. Hall.

#### TEACHERS' RALLY

D. R. OVENS, M. D.
L. R. C. P., Etc., London, England.
SURGEON, OCULIST. SPECIALIST A very interesting meeting is A' very interesting meeting is in prospect, this evening at 8 o'clock, in St. Andrew's S. S. Hall. The S. S. teachers and officers of the city will meet en masse to hear Mr. Warren Martin's, address on "The Tabernacle," illustrated by diagrams. As Mr. Martin has made a special study of this interesting theme a prolitable time is assured.

Mr. J. W. Shackleton, of Christ Church S. S., will lead in the leason, "The Sunday School and its Officers." The officers of the schools should be present to hear their duties discussed.

Refreshments will be served by the SURGEON, OCULISIA, B.
Diseases: Rye, Rar and Nose treated and
lasses fitted properly Will be at Radley's Drug Store, Chatham. Next Date
of visit, W. daesday, Dec. 27th. •+++++++++++++++++++++++ Fire, Lile and Accident

reshments will be served by th dies of St. Andrew's S. S. at the use of the addresses; music by embers of the choir.

#### DRESDEN

Dec. 11.—Miss Maud Watterworth was a Chatham visitor on Saturday. Miss Fuller, of Leamington, who has been the guest of Mrs. J. W. Sharpe, returned home on Saturday evening.

DODDS

KIDNEY

BLENHEIM

Mr. Thomas, of Toronto, travelling secretary for the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, gave a stirring address on the order and its working in Trinity

church on Thursday evening last, which was thoroughly enjoyed by

those present.

Miss Burford, graduate of Faulk-

miss Burford, graduate of Faulkner Hospital, Boston, Mass., arrived
here on Friday night on a visit to
her sister, Mrs. McQuillin.
Mr. A. Kelly moves his household
goods to Chatham to-morrow.
The regular annual Bible Society
meeting of the Bienheim branch will
be held in the Baptist church on
Friday.

James Shillington, of Red Deer

Alberta, is here on a visit to his brothers, Messrs. T. B. and J. W

Shillington.

Frank Suitor, who has been out West, near Winnipeg, has arrived home, and judging from his appearance, the country has agreed with him.

YOU MELANCHOLY WOMEN.

Can't even sleep-restlesss day and

night—brooding over imagined trou-ble all the time. The disease isn't in the brain, but in the blood, which is

thin and innutritious. Do the right thing now and you'll be cured quick-

ly. Just take Ferrozone; it turns ev-erything you eat into nourishment consequently, blood containing lots of iron and oxygen is formed. Ferro-

zone makes flesh, muscle, nerve — strengthens in a week, cures very quickly. You'll live longer, feel brighter, be free from melancholy if

you use Ferrozone. Fifty cents buys a box of this good tonic—fifty choco-late coated tablets in every box—at

WALLACEBURG

Dec. 12.-Anniversary services were

held in the Baptist church on Sun-day evening last. Rev. Ira Smith preached at both services. The spe-cial offering was very satisfactory

The Salem quartette, consisting Messrs. Frank and D. Shaw ar

Holmes, of Tupperville, and Mr Dickenson, of Wallaceburg, gave a selection, which was exceptionall, fine and much appreciated. The

choir also gave an anthem.

Miss Margaret Stewart has returned from Delhi to spend the holidays

signed his position as choir leade of Knox church.

of Knox church.

The St. James church Sunday school will hold their Christmas entertainment on Thursday, Dec. 28.

Mrs. Dadson, of Oshawa, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Power, and other relatives.

Miss Daisy Heath is home for the holidays.

Miss Daisy Hearn is home for the holidays.

Miss Sanderson has resigned her position as organist at Knox church. Miss Coltart, of Chatham, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. M. Nicol.

friends at Detroit.

Mrs. T. B. Gilliard has returned from a visit with Mrs. Stewart at Thamesville.

Mrs. Thomas Shaw, who is in St

His Drinking

"How glad I am that I c

Hospital, Chatham, is recovering.

Samaria Stopped

A London Lady cures her husban permanently of the drink habit and without his knowledge.

Free Package and pamphlet giving ful particulars, testimonials

and price sent in plan search and responde ace secretly confidential. Address: THE SAMARIA REMEDY CO., 11 Jordan Chambers, Jordan St., Teronto. Canada.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

Keep Minard's Liniment in the

Patchett, of Sarnia, has re

evening.

Mas. Ernest Sharpe, of Ingersoll, and Miss Myrtle Failer, of Leamington, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Sharpe.

Miss A. Hughes was a Maple City

ore to-night.

Municipal nominations will be held n Friday next, and as yet very few andidates for civic honors are in the field,
Miss Ethel Burnie, who has been

with a severe attack of pneumon WEARING AWAY YOUR LUNGS?

places, nothing can surpass Catarrh-ozone. If you don't get instant re-lief and ultimate cure you will at least get back your money for Catarrhozone is guaranteed to cure ca tarrh in any part of the system! You run no risk—therefore use Catarrhozone—at our expense if not satisfied.

#### THAMESVILLE

Dec. II.—Married, at the Presbyterian manse, Wednesday night, Dec. 6th, by Rev. Mr. McInnes. Hiram Gladstone, of Turin, and Miss Margaret McGregor, of Ridgetown, Dr. Munro, of Ridgetown, has received a call to Bethel and Brynstan congregations near London.

Miss Flossic McDonald, from Zone, spent Sunday at her home near

A large number assembled at the Methodist church Sunday night to hear the lady speaker on Foreign Missions. Miss Evelyn McCulloch visited

friends in Sothwell on Saturday. Rev. Mr. Nichol, of Tilbury, conducted very successful anniversary services at Turin Presbyterian church Sunday. The offering was large and the music fine. Rev. Mr. Nichol preached in Thamesville Presbyterian church at three p. m. to a large

rom Toronto. W. R. Hickey, from Bothwell, is in

rom Bothwell.

services on Sunday after his illness.

per box. All druggists.

December 29th is the date of the last excursion to New York of the year, and it is by the West Shore Railroad. The fare is \$9.00 from Suspension Bridge or Buffalo, and will be good for return for ten days. Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent ,691-2 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont., for further particulars.

YOU MAY CHANGE YOUR MIND.

PERSONALLY CONDUCTED TOURS TO MEXICO.

#### FEAST DAY COOKERY.

a Turkey Trick. There are several ways of serving

baked squash. One of the best is as

follows: Cut or saw through the shell

bake the bits of squash, as potatoe are baked, on the grate, dry heat being

preferable, says Boston Cooking Schoo

Magazine, which is the source of this

A Crisp Salad. A crisp salad is an essential part of

Cranberry Jelly.

utes or until the berries burst. Lift the

fruit overflow the dish. Press at once

through a sieve. A puree sieve that fits

firmly into the lower part of a double

boiler and a wooden pestle will enable you to do this part of the work in

about three minutes. Add at once to

Pumpkin Pie. Select a small, fine grained pumpkin. Steam or bake it until perfectly tender,

then press through a colander. To a pint of the sifted pumpkin add one quart of rich milk, three well beaten

eggs, one small cup of sugar, one tea

spoonful of ginger and half a teaspoon

ful of salt. Line two deep pie tins with good pastry, pour in the pumpkin mix-ture, sift a little sugar and a dusting

of nutmeg over the top and bake until

firm in the center and golden brown in

A New Yorker suggests a novel was

of securing a moist and well flavored roast turkey. When the fowl has been

trussed and made ready for baking smear over the surface of the bird

with thick sour cream, let stand som hours or, better still, overnight or ever

longer in the refrigerator. Then with

proper baking a peculiarly tender bird is the result. In spreading steaks and

roasts with olive oil and vinegar we

follow out the same principle. In both cases the oil (in one butter fat) ex-

cludes the air and preserves the flesh, while the acetic acid in the cream and

vinegar respectively is softening the

Cleansing Silk.

I tried washing a mud stained white silk waist in gasoline, but "the scars

remained." Then a friend advised the

oap and then let them lie in the gaso-

the gasoline settle and bottle for fu-

Chestnut Cakes.

oven to a pale brown. Take up carefully, sprinkle with grated cocoanut

ture use.-Housekeeper.

oughly and turn into a mold,

cover occasionally lest the foaming

and the following suggestions:

order. "

In the Shell, Salad, Jelly and

and separate into individual portions Lay shell side down in a baking pan turn in a little hot water to keep the pan from burning and bake in a hot oven until tender. Serve folded in a napkin. Eat from the shell with butter salt and pepper. When convenient

Miss A. Hughes was a Maple City visitor on Thursday.

Miss Ethel Sharpe entertained a number of ladies on Friday evening.

On Wednesday, Dec. 6th, to Mr. and Mrs. James Burnie, of Maple Creek, Assa., a daughter.

The 1. D. K. Society meets on Thursday evening at the residence of Mrs. D. V. Hicks.

R. Aikin will formally open his new store to-night.

employed in the millinery department of the Wm. Foreman & Co., Chat-ham, is home for the winter. Miss Beattie Davies, of Tupper-ville, spent yesterday at her home Dec. 12.-Mrs. R. J. Powell arrived here on Thursday from Calgary and is visiting her relatives in Harwwich.

J. D. Stott is confined to his house

Yes, and your strength ,too. Stop coughing and get rid of that catarrh. The one remedy is "Catarrhozone," which goes to the diseased tissues along with air you breather it can't fail to reach the source of the trouble; it's bound to kill the germs, and as fot healing up sore

spent Sunday at her home nea. Ridgetown.

ongregation.
Mrs. D. McFarlane has returned

town.

Miss Aggie Ripley returned to Chatham this morning after spending Sunday at her home here.

Tom Clark returned this morning

from Bothwell.

King Bruce has given up his position at Zone Centre.

Mrs. Robert Tong returned from Chatham on Saturday.

The meeting of the Art Club will be held on Friday at the home of Mrs. Graves, and will be conducted by Miss Mildred Albertson.

The Historical Club had its organization meeting on Friday night

use of white soap with the gasoline, and the spots disappeared like magic. Since then, if my gloves or ribbons are much soiled, I always rub on white The Historical Club had its organization meeting on Friday night. Miss Ahma Coutts spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents here. Miss Nell Mayhew has been confined to the house for a few days with a severe cold.

Rev. Mr. Freeman is around again, and all were glad to see him conduct services on Sunday after his illness. line for some hours before rubbing out. I always rinse any article in gasoline to make sure that it will no be streaked with the sediment, then let

Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly re-lieved by Cresolene tablets, ten cents

The world will freely agree to be Christian to-morrow, if Christ will permit them to be worldly to-day.

Sualight Soap is better than other soaps, but is best when used in the Sualight way. Buy Sualight Soap and follow directions. If there be aught surpassing hu

man deed or word or thought, it is mother's love. LAST EXCURSION OF THE YEAR.

But you will be excused if you take the New York Central Excursion to New York on December 8th, even though you have made other arrange-ments. It is from Suspension Bridge and Buffalo; the fare \$10.25 for the round trip. Further particulars may be had from Louis Drago, Canadian Passenger Agent, 691-2 Yonge St., Toronto, Ont.

Handled by Reau Campbell, the author of the Only Reliable Guide to Mexico, and Manager American Tourist 'Association, are being arranged to go via the Grand Trunk Railway System. Particulars will be amounced later.

Mr. Campbell has had 25 years' experience in Mexican tours, and they are the only ones that positively take in all the interesting points, and are not covered by any other parties. His own dining car "Quantzintecomatzin," and open top Observation car "Chillitti," are the largest and finest in the world.

one make of brush is as good as any other. This is not correct. Boeckh Brushes have been imperfect tools. Be sure

a rich Thanksgiving dinner, and for this no ingredients can be more appro priate than celery and apple. Mayor naise dressing is suitable for an ever ing spread or a chafing dish supper but it is entirely out of place for the dinner of the day. So also is the boiled dressing. French dressing lightly ap plied is the only item that fills the bil To prepare this mix all the ingredients together to form a complete emulsion then mix with the prepared salad ma

terials or dress the materials with oil seasonings and acid in the foregoing esterday from Hamburg, Dover If cranberry jelly rather than sauce please your fancy the directions given must be followed explicitly. To one quart of berries add one cup of water cover and cook quickly about five m

> TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY JF CHATHAM. Ladies and Gentlemen:

about three minutes. Add at once to the puree two cups of suga\*, mix thorpure two cups of suga\*, mix thorpured two cups of suga\*, mix thorpure two cups of sug Sincarely yours, G. W. CORNELL.

ELECTORS OF CHATHAM.

of this city for 1906. After long and I trust, faithful service as an Alderman of this progressive city of ours, covering a period of seven continuous years, I respectfully ask for your votes and in fluence in the forthcoming election, assuring you that if elected to the highest office that the citizens can estow in Municipal affairs, that I shall faithfully attend to all duties shall faithfully attend to all duties that may devolve upon me, that I shall at all times look after the affairs of the city in a business-like manner, keeping in view. progress, economy and the betterment of all branches of the civic machinery.

As I am extremely busy at this season of the year I may not be able to personally solicit each voter, but

Yours faithfully, W. S. MARSHALL.

ALDERMEN. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 4.

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Roast a pint of chestnuts until tenof Alderman for th teaspoonful of lemon extract and a teaability. despectfully yours, WILLIAM H. BENSEN. cupful of sifted flour. Roll the paste out thin, cut in narrow strips and fold over into little rolls. Lay them on oiled tins and bake in a moderate

(fresh) and powdered sugar and let get cool before serving. A Difference.
To give thanks is one thing, but thangs-"giving"—that is, sharing our blessings with those less fortunate, which is the true essence of thankfuiness—is quite another.—K. E. Megee.

For the Thanksiving Dinner. For a centerpiece a glass vase filled with fine green foliage is placed on a tray and surrounded with polished pep-



A HABVEST CENTERPIECE. pers, tomatoes, turnips, carrots, fruit, nuts and handsome autumn fruits. The hearts of celery can be removed for eating and only the tough stalks used.

## BRUSHES

Many people are under the impression that any proved continuously for half a century. They are the best made. They are



Holland and Belgium.
Amsterdam, Dec. 11.—The Chaf Commerce is making arrangeme hold meetings to discuss the reunion of Holland and Belgium. Eminent public speakers of both countries will give their opinions on the subject.

Cargo of 36,000 Canaries. New York, Dec. 11.—The Hamburg merican liner Patricia, which arrived bought 36,000 canaries for

#### ELECTION CARDS

WATER COMMISSIONERS

I am a candidate for the position of Water Commissioner, and re

MAYORALTY.

adies and Gentlemen: As intimated in the columns o his journal several weeks ago, and s promised my friends one year ago, am a candidate for the Mayoralty

season of the year I may not be able to personally solicit each voter, but trust that each of you will accept this card as a personal solicitation. Thanking you for your valued as-sistance and wishing you, one and all, a prosperous New Year. I am,

I am a candidate for School Trus-tee in your ward, and respectfulls solicit your vote and influence.

HARRY A. ANDREW. TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY

OF CHATHAM.

I am a candidate for the position der; peel, skin and mash to a pulp with half a cupful of butter. Mix well and stir in half a cupful of sugar, a pinch of salt, one well beaten egg, a pinch of salt, one well beaten egg, a pinch of salt, one well beaten egg, a billty interests to the b st of my salt of the cupful of lemon extract and case.

> SCHOOL TRUSTEES. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2.

Ladies and Gentlemen:
I am a candidate for School Trustee
in your Ward and will appreciate
your vote and influence. Sincerely yours, RICHARD LOWE.

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 2. Ladies and Gentlemen :-

Having been requested by a nun ber of ratepayers to allow my name to stand in the coming municipal elections, I have decided to contest this ward for the position of School trustee for the years 1906-97. I would be very grateful for your votes and influence.

HARRY JACQUES. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 5

Ladies and Gentlemen;
I am a candidate for the office of Public School Trustee in your Ward and respectfully solicit your vote and influence at the coming election.
R. L. BRACKIN. TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD !

Ladies and Gentlemen:
I beg to offer myself as candidate for School Trustee for Ward No. 5 for the year 1906.
Wishing you the compliments of the season, I remain. Yours respectfully,

W. W. SNIDER

A. M. PIPER, Architect, King Street, Chatham It is only the very rich who thoroughly appreciate the full beauty of being poor.

The Northway Co., Lt'd.

Seven Stores

Northway Co., Lt'd

# Holiday Spirit is in the Air

for your choosing and buying Gifts suitable for Men, Women and Children-an immense variety to select f.om. We invite you to visit the store often during the Next

And thousands of useful things for gift giving are here

You will heartily enjoy every minute you spend here, and we earnestly advise you to come early so that you will see the full collection before eager buyers have depleted the stocks.

Two Weeks

LADIES' FUR COATS-

Astrachan, Bokharan, Near Sea Electric Seal, Greenland Seal Persian Lamb, latest styles, choicest pelts, guaranteed the your money can buy at each \$19.90, \$25, \$30, \$35, \$40, 45, \$50, \$100 and

MEN'S FUR COATS-

We are sole agents in Chatham for Leak's celebrated fur coats for men—a written guarantee with every coat—a different coat—a better coat than you will see elsewhere at each \$25, \$30 and

FUR STOLES-

Stores

\$18, \$20 and

Every fashionable style in every wanted fur, Mink, Sable, Astrachan, Japan Mink, Squirrel, German Otter, etc., at each \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$7.90, \$10.00, \$12.90, \$15.00 and every price step up to \$38.90.

Collars, caperines, etc., all new styles, at each \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$7.90, \$10.00, \$12.50, \$15,

LADIES' COATS \$19-

Latest style Empire coats, of fine fawn cover cloths, perfect fit-ting, long lengths, the best coat in Canada at LADIES' FAWN COATS-Empire, Paddock and semi-fitted

styles, in fine fawn, coverts and whippords, 36 to 48 inches long, all beautifully tailored and finished, guaranteed in fit and wear, every wanted size, at each \$10, \$12, \$12.50, \$13.90, \$15, \$16.50, \$18 and

LADIES' COATS-

In black Kerseys, black Beavers and stylish Tweed mixtures, all this season's best and newest styles, loose, tight or half-fitted styles, matchless values at each \$5.90, \$7.50, \$8.50, \$10, \$12.50 \$13.90, \$15 and \$16.50. GIRLS COATS-

A stock of almost five thousand handkerchiefs to select from—for men, women and children—fine cambric, lawn, lace and pure linen, plain, hemstitched, tucked, lace and insertion trimmed and embroidered—the prettiest lot of handkerchiefs ever seen in Chatham—the best values we have ever shown at each 3c, 5c, 8c, 10c, 12 1-2c, 15c, 19c, 25c, 35c, 59c, 75c, 90c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 be.

DRESS GOODS-

Just to hand, several lines of choice new waisting materials for waistings in silk, embroidered cream delaines,

NEW SILKS-

Plain and plaids, for waist, skirt or dress, in rich taffeta, messaline, Louisene, etc., boxed in waist or dress lengths, special a yard 50c, 60c, 75c, 85c and

A special clearing lot—about 25 coats—assorted styles, colors and sizes, regular \$4 to \$6.50 each, clearing at The Northway Company,

### AN IDEAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

MUSIC.

MISS ANNIE L CARSON, A. T. C. M. Teacher in Piano, Harmony and Theorof Music will open her Studio Friday Sept. 1st, st Mrs. Grandy's, Second S....Phone 462...

Harry M. Church

Late with Brisco Bros. has opened sho on lifth Street, north side bridge, in the Konalds Block. Will be glad to do any

repairs or cleaning on your Bicycle, kates, Scissors, Knives, Work called for and guaranteed or no pay. P. O. box

STANDARD BANK OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, TORONTO.

Branches and agents at all prinsipal points in Canada, U. S. and Great Britain. Drafts issued and notes discounted, Savings Bank Department deposits (which may be withdrawn without delay) received and interest allowed thereon at the highest current rates.

W. T. SHANNON,

Manager Chatham Branc

PRESENT YOUR WIFE

OR DAUGHTER WITH A Nordeimer Piano

A GIFT that will be an everlasting pleasure, enjoyed by every nher of the household from H. R. H., "The Baby" to Grandma. Nordeimer Pianos are sold for one PRICE ONLY-no dick ringa fair price-fair to you and fair to ourselves. SOLD ON EASY TERMS

Pianos ordered anytime before Christmas will be delivered at any time you may wish. Write us to day for full information and illustrated booklet.

Sole Canadian Agents for Steinway & Son's Plano.

Nordeimer Limited 188 Dundes St. LONDON, ONT.

TENDERS Tenders will be seeded up to the 6th of January, 1906, by Messrs. Darling & Pearson, architects, Toronto, for the erection of bank premises for the Imperial Bank of Canada, at Essex, Ont.

Plans and specifications may be seen at the office of the bank in Essex, St. Thomas or Woodstock, or at the office of the architects in Toronto, from whom all other information may be obtained.

Manager, Essex. NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

A. H. YOUNG.

Sealed tenders, addressed to the Bank Montreal will be received at the office the undersigned architect until Friday, De 15th, 1905, for the various works requir-in the Plumbing, Heating, Electric Wiri-and Drains in the new Bank building of King Street. est or any tender not neces

The man who puts his shoulder to the wheel of fortune often finds that he is turning it for some other fel-Minard's Liniment Cures Distempen

### Miss it. You will surely miss

Cut Glass and Jewellery of all kinds and still it comes. We have disposed of our large stock of Shoes to Mr. Shapera, who is ready to supply the wants of your feet next door to Mr. Miles' hotel. We have done this to make room for a handsome line of clocks and fancy china which will be ready for sale at Christmas at the sign of The BIG CLOCK.

For Sale Che THE BANK OF MONTREAL sale, cheap, the lum'er former by Scott Bros. & Co., suitable t for Barns, Outbuildings, etc., 1 Poors and Window Frames.

Apply to GEORGE MAS. Pro Macager

TO SECURE A Good Situatio

W. F. JEWELL, Pres.

E. W. HAZLETT, Harvey by has secured the Local Agency or the collaborated Charles and will give exmates for fitting in residences of pulbuildings. Call at residence or drop a call the P.O.

Minard's Liniment Relieves N

SPECIAL HANDKERCHIEF SALE-

figured cream mohairs, silk embroid-ered nunscloth, cream voiles, crepe de chenes, crepelles, coliennes, cry-stallines, etc., waist lengths put up in fancy boxes, at per yard 35c, 50c, 65c, 75c and

**Factories** 

\$1.00.

## Well, Did You Ever

nt if you do not inspect our handsome line of Chains in Lorenettes, Dickens and Fobs, silk and gold, in all patterns of the celebrated R. F. Simmons. A full line of Watches, Clocks,

## A,A.JORDAN'S

YOU must have a good business education it will pay best to secure it in a large, a liable school, well known to business men employers for thorough work and com

University

R. I. BENNETT, C. A., Principal W. H. SHAW Serv. Weather Strips!

Some things are done for effect without regard to the effect they may produce.

The Name



HOLBROOK

the Label of a Worcestershire Bottle Stamps it as Genuine

## HOLBROOK'S

England's most famous

PRICE-25 CENTS A BOTTLE AT YOUR GROCER'S

SIR RICHARD JEBB DIES.

MAKES MEN

Yr P May Pay When You are Cured.

it Specialist who has 14 dipl rom medical colleges and st xaminers, and who has a v

DR. S. GOLDBERG.

essor of 14 diplomas and certificates, its no money that he does not earn.

convince patients that he has the abit-he says, Dr. Goldberg will accept your catment, and you need not pay one is a complete cure has been made; he ar from patients who have been unable

ch contains the 14 diplomas and cer-irely face. Address him simply erg, 206 Woodward Ave, Room 111 chigan. Medicires for Canadian pa-from Windsor, Ont., Crosequently buy to be paid.

Noted Greek Scholar and Public Man Passes Away.
London, Dec. 11.—Sir Richard Claverhouse. Jebb, regius professor of Greek and member of Parliament (Con-servative) for Cambridge University, is dead. He was born in Dundee on Aug. 27, 1841, and educated at Charterhouse, whence he passed to Trinity College, Cambridge, where he graduated as senior classic in 1862. After becoming fellow and lecturer of that college and public curator of the university, Sir Richard filled the chair of Greek in Glasgow University from 1875 to 1889, when he became regius professor and was lecturer at Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore, in 1892.

Antumn Parasol Fads. One of the very newest fads is the carrying of dressy parasols all through His services to education were very great, and he was universally recognized as one of the best Greek scholars in Britain. His publications included many translations from Greek and Latin authors, his magnum opus in this the months of September, October and even the early part of November. This year they will play a very important part in the get up of the well dressed line being his edition of Sophocles in seven volumes, which appeared at intervals from 1883 to 1896. He was married in 1874 to Caroline Lane, daughter of the Rev. J. Reynolds, D.D., and widow of Gen. A. J. Slemmer of woman, according to the New Idea Magazine. Some bewilderingly lovely parasols have been imported for late autumn wear. One lovely model, which has been sold to a fashionable the United States army. Sir Richard sat as member of Parliament for Cam-bridge University from 1891 and held many official appointments in connec-tion with university and educational New York woman to use at Lenox when wearing a dark blue chiffon crape gown, was made of four shades of blue chiffon cloth, one on top of the other, with four deep flounces around the edge. Around the stick, which was of dark blue enamel wood, was twined a piece of real Irish lace insertion. The handle was of repousse sifver with a bow of Irish lace. Nearly all these autumn parasols are cut from **SOUND AND STRONG** very much darker materials, but are made to give the same fluffy effect as Detroit Specialist Making Men's
Diseases a Specialty for Years,
Wil Accept Your Case, Civing
It Individual Treatment. You
may Use it in the Privacy of
Your Own Hone. the lingerie parasols which have been so fashionable all summer. These new parasols are to be used in New York for driving and walking and also on

all dressy occasions. Dressing For Cabbage Salad. and beat into it the yolk, then the white of an egg. Add also two teaspoonfuls of sugar and a fourth of a teaspoonful each of mustard, salt and paprika. Then pour on very gradually, beating constantly, half a cup of hot vinegar. Cook over hot water until the mixture thickens a little-it should be like thick cream—and let cool before stirring into a generous pint of fine

A Forerunner In Furs. That fashion rather favors the short coat or bolero as a fur model is suggested in some of the advance styl Quite a simple form, evidently designed with an eye to thorough com



FUR BOLERO. winter, yet carrying a certain very taking smartness, is the banded bolero or contec illustrated. It is of high shapely belt of black cloth,

Leather Trimmings In Dress.

Leather promises to be a noticeable garniture during the coming season, although (the leather vest excepted) it will be applied very discreetly, narrow pinings and collar facings representing the chief fancies. Black suede excellently sets off the rough ivory friezes and blanketing cloths that appear a certainty for late automa wear.

#### OUTING STYLES.

Fashions In Garb For Autuma Spe

Among the paramount consideration hich the autumn brings to those w There is very little feeling at this se on for other than plain dark cloth r, perhaps, pepper and salt mixture stripes having been but a passin whim. A skirt and coat of the seaso whim. A szirt and coat of the season smart and well cut, are here pictured Slightly longer in the basque than for-merly and quite close fitting, the coat with its single breasted fronts can be revealing the presence of a neat vest In motoring garb nothing short of



NEW RIDING HABIT. chill of late autumn and winter, and, given a leather bodice, the coat wran eed not of necessity be the weighty affair it now so frequently proves. For autumn shooting gowns in Eng-lish style, that are not necessarily restricted to their supposed purpose, on sees a tweed of snuff brown color over-laid with faint red and green lines, the hems and waistcoat of brown suede. In similar style is rough black or white frieze with facings of gray kid and a tiny collar of scarlet vel-yet. J. V. WALDER,

shredded cabbage. This makes an acid

nemmed with taffeta.

SHOULD READ MISS SCHWALM'S LETTER in All Parts of Canada Lydia B. Pink. ham's Vegetable Compound Has Ef-fected Similar Cures.

Many wonderful cures of female ills are continually coming to light which have been brought about by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and



Miss a. E. Schwalm

hrough the advice of Mrs. Pinkha through the advice of Mrs. Pinkham, of Lynn, Mass., which is given to sick women absolutely free of charge.

Mrs. Pinkham has for many years made a study of the ills of her sex: she has consulted with and advised thousands of suffering women, who to day owe not only their health but even life to her helpful advice.

Miss Annie E Schwalm of 226 Cap. Miss Annie E. Schwalm, of 326 Spa-

Miss Annie E. Schwalm, of 326 Spadina Ave., Toronto, Ont., writes:

Dear Mrs. Pinkham:

"I have found Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound a specific for Leucorrhea, with which I have been troubled for years. I also had irregular and painful menstruation which affected my general health until last spring. I was only a wreck of my former self. In my affliction I was advised to use your Compound, and am so glad that I did so. I found that in a few short months there was no trace of Leucorrhea, my strength gradually feturned, and in a very short time I considered myself a perfectly well woman. I appreciate my good health, and beg to assure you that I am most grateful to you for discovering such a wonderful remedy for suffering women."

The testimonials which we are constantly publishing from grateful women establish beyond a doubt the power of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to conquer female diseases.

Women suffering from any form of

Women suffering from any form of female weakness are invited to promptly communicate with Mrs. Pinkham, at Lynn, Mass. She asks nothing in return for heg advice. It is absolutely free, and always helpful.

A Queer Carpet.

For some reason the man had been employed to make an inventory of the furniture in the house. He was so long about his task in the parlor, however, that the lady of the mansion went in to see what he was doing. On the floor lay an empty bottle. On the sofa lay the man, sleeping sweetly like a tired wholly forgotten. At the top of the page stood a solitary, eloquent entry, "One revolving carpet."

Mrs. Ferguson (to caller)-I never did like her, and when the impuden thing spoke to me the way she did I was speechless with indignation. I couldn't say a word. Mr. Ferguson (butting in)-That must have happened before we were married.

Supply is generally governed by demand, except in the matter of making mistakes.

#### Pure Tea Hygienic Packages

Users of Grand Mogul Tea pronounce it the beverage of good health. mountains of Ceylon, it has the delicious and mellow flavor of purity.

@Prepared by machinery from plantation to cup. The packages, lined with airtight paper, protect it from store dust and microbes. Never sold in bulk nor in poisonous lead. The effort to substitute some other tea to be "just as good" is the desire of some dealers for an excessive profit on an inferior article.

#### Grand Mogul Tea

(Sold at 25c, 30c, 40, and 50c per pound. Look for the premium coupon and list of premiums in each

#### Electric Cars IN CHATHAM

Just say to the Conductor-Put me

#### GIBSON'S THE PHOTOGRAPHER

Orders for Christmas Portraits should be in Early.

3TUDIO1 Corner of King and Fifth St
Entrance King St.

DISTINCTIVE POINTS OF COLOR AND FORM IN BEST STYLES.

The "Picture" Feature Again In Favor-Perfection of Line and Faultless Finish Give Tone to the Cos-tume—Fantastic Hats.

Rather curiously, considering the eason, a note of gray seems to have crept into the exclusive fashions, per-haps because they are exclusive and as a silent protest against the clashing and crude outburst of color presented in popular styles of the present. An idea of the way in which the gown builders gain the effect of simplicity and real chic even in the "picture" co ime of the season may be gathered from the cut as well as an example of the fancy for subdued color alluded to.

The material selected for use in this stume is a fancy spot chiffon velvet



PICTURE COSTUMES.

gray hue that recalls certain tones of green fig. The front aspect is that of the most elegant princess, the silhouette accentuated by broad crossed strappings of the velvet and the upper part thrown back bolero-wise, with re-vers of shot silk and a cascade of lovev tambour lace.

The back, however, furnishes the daring feature of this confection, for there the strappings develop into a watteau effect, the folds falling direct from be verge into narrowness from a handome cut steel buckle. The short elbow sleeves are entirely of lace, inclosed within a crossed sheath arrangement of the velvet. Perfection of line, fau'tless finish and general "ton" raise this costume to a niche of its own.

Two very up to date fancies in millinery occupy the second cut. The first model is an individual one of brown velvet, with crown of mink and in the new dome shape. The pose is obtained by a sweeping cache peigne of ostrich feathers, shading from brown to pis-



PANCIES IN HATS.

tache green, the brim curled up and, according to the artistic feeling of the moment, always a little to one side. A thing of deft handling is the sec ond hat shown, it being wholly of taf-feta drawn into tight flutes, with a touch of black velvet, and at the left side one of the new full fan ospreys. In this, as in much of the millinery, the distinguishing particular is found in the crown.

The piquancy of a tilt to the side is recognized, and poise is perhaps the item most necessary in order to wear the fantastic creations of the present in such manner that they may not be come grotesque. AMY VARNUM.

Thanksgiving Day. Thanksgiving Day.

The inconveniences and the petty annoyances, the pains and the sorrows, do we ever forget them? Indeed, no. We grumble and groan continually. The blue sky and the sunshine, the everyday mercies and the wonderful blessings that we accept as a matter of the sunshine of the converse do we remamber to reloice becourse, do we remember to rejoice be-cause of them? Only too seldom. On this one day do let us be sincerely and expressedly thankful.

Irish and Sweet Potatoes, Mash and season separately sweet and Irish potatoes; put a smooth layer of the Irish potato on a plate, then on top of this an equal layer of the sweet potato; continue until the dish is the desired size; when serving, cut in slices; if preferred, color part of the Irish potatoes with eggs and use in-stead of the sweet potato.

Renovating Leather.

Embossed leather may be cleaned, with turpentine, which should be applied with a soft cloth. After the stains are removed rub on a very little crude oil to make it pliable and rub thoroughly until all grease is removed. thoroughly until all grease is removed.

It. Drew & McCallum,

# ALL SICK WOMEN DRESS AND FASHION ABSOLUTE

Cenuine

### Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

See Pac-Simile Wrapper Below

Very small and as easy



FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION Price Purely Vegetable.

GURE SICK HEADACHE.

To Ebouise Wood. The wood is immersed for forty-eight hours in a hot, saturated solution of alum and then brushed over several times with a logwood decoction prepar ed as follows: Boil one part of best logwood with ten parts of water, filter through linen and evaporate at a gentle heat until the volume is reduced to onehalf. To every quart of this add from ten to fifteen drops of a saturated solu-tion of indigo, completely neutral. After applying this dye to the wood rub the latter with a saturated and filtered solution of verdigris in hot, concentrat ed acetic acid, and repeat the operation antil a black of the desired intensity is obtained. It must always be remem bered when handling chemicals they great care must be taken to protect the

#### Cash or Cure

If Shiloh's Consumption Cure fails to cure your Cold or Cough, you get back all you paid for it. You are sure of a Cure or the Cash. If it wasn't a sure cure, this offer not be made.

Can anything be fairer? If you have a Cold, Cough, or any disease of the Throat, Lungs or Air Passages, try

SHILOH

25c, per bottle. All dealers guarantee i Pagantni's Cab.

The characteristic good natur of Paganini, the celebrated Italian violinlst, is well illustrated by the following hired a cab to take him from the hall where he had added one more to his long list of triumphs to his lodgings When Paganini awoke the next mor ing he found the cabman waiting for an interview. He, in fact, burst int Paganini's private apartment.

"What do you want?"
"Excellency, I come to solicit a favor of you—a very great favor. I amfather of four children and have the

The musician conseated, says Olga Racster in an interesting volume entitled "Chats- on Violins." and six months afterward the cabman was enjoying a comfortable income solely derived from Paganini's cab.



### Municipal Advertising

Should have the widest possible publicity. No other Ontario paper covers the Provinces as does "The News." 2,475 Post Offices reached out of the 3,528 in the Province.

Write for rates and narticulars. . . . . . . .

THE PERSON NAMED IN

COUGHS AND COUGHING.

Nature's Method of Clearing the Air Passages-Useless Coughs.

A cough was intended by nature at a means of removing some offending substance from the air passages, and as such it is of the greatest protection if the irritation of the mucous membrane of the larynx and bronchia tubes, caused by the presence of some strange body or of the usual mucous secretion in too great quantity, did not excite the expulsive act which we call coughing we should be in constant danger of suffocation every time we had a slight attack of bronchitis or a cold in the chest.

If a cough were occasioned only in this way it would be a most useful measure, and there would be no more A cough was intended by nature at

measure, and there would be no more measure, and there would be no more need for cough mixtures than for rem edies to arrest breathing, but the hu man machine sometimes gets out of order, like any other mechanism. The wires get crossed, and a message sent from some distant organ, like the liver for example, may get switched over to the nerve centre which regulates the complex series or movements produc-ing cough. This centre, receiving stimulus from somewhere, responds just as if the message came from the larynx, and a cough is established.

This "lives cough" does no good, and the sconer it is stopped the better.

Again, the mucous membrane of some portion of the air tubes, instead

of secreting too freely, may become dry. The nerve centre is warned me chanically that there is something irritating the larynx or bronchial tubes and it starts a cough to get rid of it. This cough, too, is useless, and worse than useless, for it serves only to irri-tate still more the inflamed mucous

Cough may also be excited by ab formal conditions in the nose, ears or gullet or may occur as a symptom of disease of the heart, kidneys or of disease of the heart, kidneys or nervous system. In such cases it is the endeavor of the physician to arrest the cough by discovery and removal of the cause, if possible, or, if this cannot be done, by the administration

cannot be done, by the administration of cough remedies.

In cough due to dryness of the mucous membrane of the air tubes the remedies employed are those that will promote a flow of nucous to moisten the offending part. This can sometimes be accomplished without medicine, by the inhalation of the vapor rising from a pitcher of hot water to which a teasproporful of benzine has been added. conful of benzine has been adde Intil the cause of a cough is know the use of nowerful cough medicines most of which contain paregoric or online in some form, is most inadvis able.—Youth's Companion.

#### ANCIENT ENTERTAINMENT.

Description of One Given By Xen phon's Army of Greeks. In his "Anabasis" Xenophon

cribes an entertainment given by his army of Greeks on the shores of the Black Sea during the retreat from Persia after the battle of Cunaxa, about twenty-three centuries ago. "Two Thracians first rose up," says the sol-dier historian, "and danced with their arms to the sound of a flute. They capered very high and with great agilcapered very high and with great agility, then made use of their swords. At
last one of them struck the other in
such a manner that every one thought
he had killed him, but the stroke was
given with art. The other, having despoiled him of his arms, went out singing a song of triumph. Then other
Thracians carried off the man as if he
had been dead, though indeed he was
not hurt. After this some Aenians and
Magnesians rose up and danced in not burt. After this some Aenians and Magnesians rose up and danced in their arms what they called the carpaean dance, the manner of which is as follows: One of them, having laid down his arms, sows and drives a yoke of oxen, looking often behind him, as if he were afraid. Then a robber and the second of the if he were afraid. Then a robber approaches whom the other perceiving proaches whom the other perceiving he catches up his arms and, advancing, fights with him in defense of his oxen, All this these men performed in time to the flute. At last the robber binds

two adversaries, then used his bucklers as if engaged with only one. Sometimes he whirled round, then threw as if engaged with only one. Sometimes he whirled round, then threw himself head foremost and fell on his himself head foremost and fell on his feet without parting with his bucklers. This made a fine sight, Last of all he danced the Persian dance, striking his bucklers against each other and in dancing fell on his kness, then sprung up again, and in all this he kept time to the fute. He was succeeded by some Mantineans and other Arcadians, who, being dressed in the handsomest armor they could provide, rose up and advanced in time to a flute that played a martial air. They sung the paean and danced in the same manner that is practiced in solemn processions.

"On this one of the Arcadians led forth a woman dancer, dressed hand-

"On this one of the Arcadians led forth a woman dancer, dressed handforth a woman dancer, dressed handforth and carrying a light buckler. She danced the Pyrrhic dance with great ability, on which there was great applause. That caused the Paphlagoions who were present to ask whether the woman also charged with the troops. Then the Greeks said that it was the women who drove King Artaxerxes out of the camp. This was the end of that night's entertainment.—Chicago News.

Thick Wheat Sewing Profitable.

During a long period of test, experiments in thick and thin seeding were tried, by the Ohio Agricultural Station, the results indicating that eight to ten pecks of seed to the acre will give fetter results than a less amount of seed upon the somewhat worn lands of the state. The amount of seed should vary somewhat with different varieties, ace the size of the grain is not uniform. It was further found that September 20, to 22 proved a most salisfactory date for seeding in the latitude of Wooster, with September 15 the next highest in yield. No particular benefit was derived from grading grain according to size. Thick Wheat Sewing Profitable.

Little Boy—Any sign of my mous-tache coming, Dolly? His Sister—No, Jack, I expect you're soing to take after ma.

Colonial London Dry Gin

A Strictly Pure and Wholesome Spirit.

KEEP THE CAPSULES AND GET A VALUABLE PREMIUM

BOIVIN. WILSON & CO., Montreal.

Do Please
It might leave you! Then what? Better
please it by giving it a good hair-food—
Ayer's Hair Vigor. The hair stops coming
out, becomes soft and smooth, and all
the deep, rich color of youth comes back
to gray hair. Sold for 60 years. 5.0. Ayer (Most). None.

Beet Sugar In West. Calgary, Alta, Dec. 11.—The season's run at the Raymond beet sugar factory is closed with a record output of 18,000 tons of beets out and 4,800,000 lbs, refined sugar produced.

Tokio, Dec. 11.—Gen. Kuroki and staff made a triumphal entry into To-kio Saturday. There was a great de-monstration of enthusiasm.

#### The Wornout Nerves, The Weak Heart, The Tired Brain, The Wasted Strength.

What a multitude of women there are who feel that these words exactly suit their case. From early morn until late at night they have been on the go, year in and year out, attending to the daily household duties, looking after the wants of her children and spending the rest of her time attending to social and church work. Is it any wonder then that sooner or later there comes a general collapse? The action of the heart becomes weak and palpitating, the nerves become unstrung, the brain feels in a whirl half the time and the usual force of vitality is lacking.

of vitality is lacking.

It is at this time a woman should look atter herself. If she does not, serious female disorders may set in and often cause weary months and years of helplessness and miserable suffering. What she wants is something to build up her system. For this purpose there is nothing to equal

#### MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

They are the women's friend in every sense of the word.

They will strengthen the weak heart, tone up the shaky, starved nerves, make the brain clear, and restore the lost vitality.

Mrs. George Lohnes, Stanley Section, N.S., writes: "I was greatly troubled with weak and dizzy spells and was so run down I could not attend to my household duties. I bought two boxes of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills and after taking them I found that my trouble had all passed away. I am now strong and healthy again."

Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills are 50 cents per box or 3 for \$1.25. If your dealer does not handle them, send direct to The Milburn Co., Ltd., Toronto, Oak,

A Tiny Province. father of four children and have the honor to be your fellow countryman. You are wealthy, your fame is unequaled, and if you please you can make my fortune."

"What do you mean?"

"Well, authorize me to write in large letters at the back of my vehicle these two words; 'Paganini's Cab!"

The mysician concentred wars older. The mysician concentrations are older. The mysician concentration are concentrated as a solution of the flute. At last the robber binds the plowman and carries him off with the oxen, Sometimes the plowman and carries him off with the oxen, Eometimes the plowman and carries him off with the oxen, ties his hands behind him and so drives him away.

"After this Mysus entered with a buckler in each hand and danced sometimes as if he had been engaged with two adversaries, then used his bucklers as if ormand-rither was ceded to the french in the seventeenth century.

enteenth century. The Dutch of It. When a resident of Holland wishes to buy a motor car he goes to the shop and asks for a "snellpaardelooszoon-deerspoorwegpitroolrijtung." This word means literally "the rapid-horseless-without-rails - driven-by - pe roleum-thing."



Your Dealer will re-place any Costee Garment that shrinks

Made of the finest wool, rendered

Made at Galt, Canada, by The C. TURNBULL CO., Limited and sold by all reliable dealers.

#### The Coming Building Material

Cement Block manufactured by BLIGHT & FIELDER

Any persons desirous of building will do well to inspect these blocks. The electric road is using them for its new power house. After seeing them you will use no other.

Plant opp. Public Library Queen St. ........................

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ICE CREAM PAR LORS

OPPOSITE BANK OF MONTREAL

One of the finest assortments of Candy in the city, fresh every day. WHOLESALE and RETAIL

Ice Cream or goods de-

livered to any part of the city. Light lunches served.

J. H. Rhody In Wigzell's Old Stand. \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

+++++++++++++++++++++++++++ SMOKE COL. STEELE

> \*\*\* 5c. CIGAR 5c. The Best Cigar, in

the world for five cents. 

#### To Look Clean Is gratifying, To be Clean

Is satisfying. You will enjoy both when you place your linen with us for we do our work by the most modern methods known to our

The Parisian Steam Laundry Oo. Phone 20

#### THE NEW LAUNDRY ST. OLAIR STREET. Solicits Washing of all kinds

Ladies waists a specialty. Our work is all done by hand without the use of any chemicals. SATISFACTION GUARANTEED ...

Parcels called for and delivered

promptly. SING LUNG,

PROPRIETOR



J. GILBERT & CO. We have the best to be got and at losest market prices. Orders promptly divered.

OFFICE and YARDS Queen St., G.T. E. Crossing. PHONE 119

## 1906

We are showing this year the most beautiful line of Calendars that has ever been brought into Chatham. All beautiful subjects, taken from the most celebrated paintings of the world, viz :-

WAITING

THE PROPOSAL

THE FINAL TOUCH

THE SEASON'S FAVORITE

Also a large range of beautiful designs ranging from

5c. Up.

See our New and Up-to-Date CHRISTMAS CARDS.

W. J. KENNY

DRS. CORNELL & FISHER DENTISTS Corner Sixth and King St.
Over the Bee Hive.
ne:—Office 317. Residence 442

#### Local News

Oscar Shaw, of Morpeth, has struck a fine flow of gas.

Found to-day, a ring of keys Owner may have same by proving property and paying for this advt.

Mr. Almer Smith, Winona, who was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Blackburn, Joseph St., returned home to-day. While in the city he was accompanied by his nephew, Mr. Ben. Smith, of Moosejaw.

John Gilmour Hay, barrister, 95
Dawson, Y. T., and his wife, have
been Viting their sister, Mrs. Wm.
Araham, at "Underwood Farm,"
Chatham Township.

been Y-siting their sister, Mrs. Wm A-raham at 'Underwood Farm,' Chatham Township.

Lost, Fricay, Dec. 8th, a plack hand bag, with gmall purse, containing a sum of money and e number of papers. Finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving at this office.

Wm. H. Attridge, a well known and respected farmer residing in Orford, near Clachan, died on Saturday in his 63rd year. The funeral took place on Monday to Gosnell's cemetery, Highgate. A widow and grown up family are left to mourn the death of a loving husband and father. George Attridge, of Guilds, is a brother of the decased.

A. T. Rowell, hotel keeper, Leamington, pleaded guilty to the charge laid by License Inspector Smyth of having a second bar in his house. Mr. Smyth was at Kingsville prosecuting W. Brundage and J. M. Halstead, of Harrow, for selling liquor to minors.

The funeral of the late John Kitter.

The funeral of the late John Kit The funeral of the late John Kitchen took place on Wednesday afternoon. Service was conducted at the
house by Rev. Mr. Softly and interment took place at Trinity cemetery.
Mr. Kitchen was the oldest and one
of the most highly respected residents of Morpeth, and was in his
97th year. He leaves three daughters, Mrs. Scott, of this city; Mrs.
Duck, of Detroit, and Miss Rosa, who
has taken care of him in his illness,
and one son, J. B. Kitchen, formerly
of this city.

Men want to be considered as of vital importance to the success

A fellow may feel that he is always right until he is left.

------DR. A. A. HICKS DENTIST

Office: 26' King St. East, Over Turper's Drug Store. Phone 357 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

CHRISTMAS CAKES. PLUM PUDDING, AND

MINCE PIES

Mounteer's,

\*\*\*\*

#### GOOD MEETING

Advisory Board of the Children's Aid Society Hold a Busy Session -Good Reports Received.

The regular monthly meeting of the Advisory Board of the Kent Children's Aid Society was held in the County Clerk's off ce yesterday were present, Mesdames Young, Williams, Goodland, Fraser, Stephenson, Waddell, J. L. Bray, Taffs, Pilkey and Sheldon, and Messrs. Paterson, Baxter, Gosnell, Reeve and Dr. R. V.

Bray. The executive officer reported, since the last special meeting, Nov. 28.-Visits made 10, letters written 9, cases reported 1, applications for children 2.

On motion, the report was adopt-

Mrs. Fraser reported for the sp cial visiting committee that they have arranged to give one family shoes, another bedelothes, and an other a daily milk supply.

Mrs. Williams reported that the boy she was left to interview was not going to school, as he has to work to help support his mother Under the circumstances the Society thought it unwise to interfere.

The President referred to the reelection, at the annual meeting, of the old Board with power to fill va-cancies on the Board. He was cancies on the Board. He was pleased to report that Mesdames Falls, Sulman, Newbury and Georgd Stephens had accepted positions on

the Board, also John Reeve. The question of playing the several legacies which had been given for shelter work to the capital acwas accompanied by his nephew, Mr.
Ben. Smith, of Moosejaw.

Lost! Between Grey and St.
Clair Sts., a gold cross with settings.
Finder please rease at this office and where it would draw the hast increases.

terest.

The matter of investigating and supplying the needs of several poor families came up. On motion a committee, consisting of acadames Shel-

I was cured by terrible lumbago by MINARD'S LINIMENT. REV. MR. BROWN.

I was cured of a bad case of ear-ache by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. KAULBACK.

I was cured of sensitive lungs by MINARD'S LINIMENT. MRS. S. MASTERS.

THE FAST TRAINS THE FAST TRAINS

To California are run over the Union Pacific, via Omaha, 16 hours other line. No change of roads, no detours, "The Overland Route" all the way. Be sure your ticket reads over the Union Pacific. Inquire of H. F. Carter, T. P. A., 14 James Building, Toronto, Canada, or F. B. Choate, G. A., 126 Woodward avenue, Detroit.

Hoping for the best won't bring it unless you work for it. Cupid occasionally hands cold storage love.

## \*

Ladies and Gent's Gold Headed Umbrellas from \$3.00 esch to \$15 00 each.

A beautiful line of Ladies' Crosses, all prices and sizes. Ladies' Gold Filled Watches from \$10.00 up to \$40.00 Every one guaranteed.

E. J. MacINTYRE, Leading Jeweler ... and Optician ...

#### The Letter-Box ......

9 MORE

Christmas. There is: going to be an awful rush of shoppers the last few days Avoid it by doing your shopping early. Call and see what a nice clean stock we have. The following lines are especially fine

Seeded Raisins, 2 boxes Easter Brand, the best to be had, Raisins, 3 ibs

for 25c Very Fine Extra Cleaned Finest Drip Peels, 20c lb. Hallowe'en Dates 3 lbs. Best Cooking Figs 10c. 1b

Finest Table Raisins 25c Good Eating and Cooking ... Apples; all kinds of Vegetables.

KING EDWARD GROUERY

### MESS OFFICERS

. -------

Non. Coms of the 24th Regiment Elect Their Officers for 1906.

At a fully attended meeting of the Non-Coms mess of the 24th Regi-ment in their rooms last evening, the following officers were elected for the coming year of 1906: President-Col. Sergt. C. E. Clem-Vice President-Sergt, C. J. North-

Sametary—Sergt. W. A. Leitch. Treasurer—O. R. C. Wm. J. Moun-

Board of Management—Officers of Signed.
The mess and Sergts, Whitmarsh and Lister.
Superintendent of Refreshments—
Superintendent of Refreshments— Sergt, Wm: Glover.
Auditors - Sergts, Graham and

the Fort Lambton excursion and proceeds showed a good balance, and was heartily approved.

#### JONES WAS RIGHT

A mistaken impression may have been given our readers from The Planet report of the cross-examination of City Engineer Jones by Mr. M. K. Cowan, the Attorney representing the Grand Trunk Railway, at the sitting of the Railway Commission held last week.

The engineer stated that the Grand Trunk track level was 23 (twenty-three) feet above low water level, but Mr. Cowan ridiculed this statement, characterizing it as worthless

but Mr. Cowan ridiculed this state-ment, characterizing it as worthless information, without, however, pro-ducing any evidence to show that the engineer's statement was incor-rect. It will be interesting to learn that in the new edition of Dominion Government Dictionary of Attitudes the height of low water level above sea level is given as 575 and the height of the G. T. R. track as 598. sea level is given as 575 and height of the G. T. R. track as The difference between these two levels is exactly 23, thus substantiating Engineer Jones figures.

#### LAST TRIBUTE

An immense funeral cortege left he residence of the late John Mc the residence of the late John Mc-Kellar to-day and wended its way to the "City of the Dead." Attesting to the respect in which the deceased was held by his fellows, the H. R. C. sent an artistic floral tribute designed as a target, on which a lone shot had pierced the bullseye. The Rev. H. Cowan, of St. Paul's, conducted the funeral services. Six comrades of the rifles bore the bier to the resting place.

Ca-chatille-ma-tullie.
Mrs. G. V. Taylor left yesterday for Los Angeles, Cal., to spend the winter with her sister there.

#### THE SESSION

Before his honor Judge Bell, at the Court House this afternoon, the De-cember sessions of the County Court opened. The following is the dock-

Craninal. Rex vs. Robert J. Miller, cattle

Kennedy vs. Burley, dispute over money from an estate. O. K. Watson for plff; H. D. Smith for deft, Risso vs. McCarron et al., dispute over possession under a lease. S. B. Arnold for plff.; Purdom & Co., and A. B. Carseallen for deft.

#### NEW ORGANIST

Mr. A. Kelly, of England, recently of Blenheim, has been engaged by the Wardens of Christ Church as their organist. He will move into Chatham this week.

Mr. Kelly is an experienced organist and has played in some of the finest churches in England. He comes to Chatham highly recommended. During the last few Sundays he has officiated at the Christ Church organ and gave universal satisfaction. He will be a valuable acquisition to Chatham musical droles.

### Ladies Christmas and I

MURRAY STREET.

To the Editor of The Planet: Dear Sir,—This being the season of the year when the aldermen who are seeking re-election are exhibiting unwonted energy in overhauling the affairs of their especial departments. The residents of Murray street would be more than delighted to see the Board of Works taking a promerade on their street say for ed to see the Board of Works taking a promenade on their street, say to-day, or any day after a rain. They can start east from our beautiful Tecumseh Park, and walk on a nice granolithic sidewalk for about 150 yards, then they will vary the monotony by tramping through eight or ten feet of mud, then over eight or ten feet of mud, then over some good bitulithic pavement followed by a like space of mud to the beginning of the next 150 yards of granolithic sidewalk they can continue these variations at every street crossing until they arrive opposite Victoria Park. There they can cross the end of the bitulithic roadway and come westward on the north side of granolithic walk and at every street crossing continue to

north side of granolithic walk and at every street crossing continue to accumulate mud until they will have enough to erect a mound to celebrate their safe, return to Tecumseh Park. From which they will no doubt make haste to the Garner House for "refreshments."

Perhaps they will conclude before they complete the round that if it is too late to put down granolithic, they might put down stone, if not stone, then plank, if not plank, gravel, and if they cannot get any of these, then good tough sod.

One thing is sure, that if there is nothing done to cover those mud

nothing done to cover those mud ends, the electors on Murray street will, at the municipal election, en-deavor to make some of the Board of Works walk the aldermanic plank. W. K. MERRIFIELD.

#### TEARS UP LRACK

Toronto, Dec. 11,-When the Board of Railway Commissioners met at Chatham last week an order was granted to the Chatham & Wallaceburg. The crossing was promptly made. Yesterday, so Mr. Wilson, for the Chatham & Wallaceburg railway, told the Railway Commission to-day, the Pere Marquette tore it up on the ground that the order had not been made to the been with the content of the content o

Eighed: Uhairman Killam promptly signed an order ordering the Pere Mar-quette railway to restore the cross-

#### A BUSY MEETING

The Park St. League held a spe Cat businesss meeting last evening. There was a good attendance and the proceedings were presided over by W. J. Young.

Dr. A. A. Hicks was elected first vice-president of the society. This position has been vacant for some time. Will Shillington was elected.

The recipts from the Wallac burg expenses are paid there will be a neat sum to the credit of the soci-

#### DIED SUDDENLY.

sident of this city, passed away this morning at 10 o'clock, after a few hours' illness, with paralysis, aged 75 years. Her husband died six months ago. She was the mother of R. K. Bell, Joseph

TO THE ELECTORS OF WARD 1.

I am again a candidate for the position of School Trustee in your Ward and respectfully solicit your vote and influence. I also desire to take this opportunity to thank you for past favors.

WILLIAM ROBERTSON.

## DR. A. W. THORNTON

DENTIST.
Office over A. I. McCall & Co's.
Drug Store Cor. King and Fifth

Office 164. Residence 285 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### Farcy Goods. CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

PRESENTS, LADIES' HOLIDAY GIFTS, JAPA NESE BOXES, TRAYS, AND LAMP SHADES, SUITABLE FOR CHRIST-MAS PRESENTS.

DOLLS AND TOYS FOR CHILDREN. Make your Purchases before the Holiday and Goods will be Put Away for You until Christmas.

MRS. WELDON. Fancy Goods Store. Next Malcolmson's Grocery.

\*\*\*\*\*

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS FOR SALE OR RENT—One of the best dairy and grain farms in Western Ontario, containing 175 acres, just outside city limits, city of Chatham, Ont., stabling for 52 cows, 14 horses, besides box stalls, etc., with all necessary buildings; three good dwellings, two never failing wells, about 900 young apple trees now bearing, land in high state of cultivation. Retail dairy business in connection with farm; for 25 years running two wagons. Business will stand the atrictest inspection. To be sold with or without the farm. Price reasonable. For further particulars apply to W. P. Huff, Box 15, Chatham, Ont. FOR SALE OR RENT-One of the

Sealed tenders will be received until Saturday, 23rd inst., for the purchase of all the standing timber on the S E 1-2 of lot No. 7, concession 9, in the Township of Chatham; the purchaser to have one year to take off said timber. Tenders to be addressed for the undersigned at Deressed to the purchaser of the production of the product dressed to the undersigned at Dar-rell P. O. No tender necessarily ac-

WM. H. BROOKSBANK. Darrell, Dec. 2, 1905.

### The Chattam Loan and Savings Co

48th Haif-Yearly Dividend. S. F GARDINER,

Chatham, Nevember 18th 1905

### FOR RENT

bout six minutes walk from Post Office. FOR SALE

House with all modern conveniences DUNN & MERRITT, Real Estate and Insurance.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* The dread of disease is greatly lessened when

#### you have a policy in The Empire Accident

### Surety Company

Guaranteeing you a weekly indemity during illness. Get a policy

A CANADIAN CONGERN A. J. PIKE, Agent, Chatham

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Minard's Liniment Cures Distempe



#### Will Re-Open for the New Year, Tuesday, January 2, '06

Our New Have you seen a cut of this magnificent str Our Handsome This catalogue has over 30 pages of illustrated work, mostly engravings from specimens of penmanship by former students. Write for a copy if you are planning to attend a business school.

We pay your railway fare in coming. Catalogue gives particulars. Good board for gentlemen, \$2.75 per week; for ladies, \$2.50.

We can give you home training in BOOK-KEEPING, SHORTHAND and PIN-MANSHIP. Catalogue E, gives particulars and terms of home ccurses.

Catalogue F. is for those who wish to attend at Chatham. Write for the one you want, addressing,

D. MCLACHLAN & CO.

THE MONEY SAVING SPOT.

\$1.00



## Ingersoll

Watches.

The Ingersoll Watch is the uni-

The new models, complete a line from which can be chosen an ideal gift for man, woman, boy, For the Man - whether he has nother watch or not—an Inger-soll is alvays acceptable, because it can be put to so many uses where a more delicate watch would be liable to injury or loss.

But for the Boy—his first watch is one of the events of his whole life. It instils promptness and self-retiance, and, an Ingersoll will go through his romps and games without missing a tick—an hourly reminder of the fiver.

Dollar Watch, which is known all over the world as a marvel of ceanty, accuracy, and utility. The Reliance, in a solid Ger-nan silver case, stem-wind and tem set, price \$1 50.

#### SPECIALS

CARVING SETS. JACK KNIVES, POCKET SCISSORS, RAZORS AND STROPS,

## HOCKEY SHOES.

ALARM CLCCKS, SKATES AND STRAPS,

A valued daily companion to men of all nations! Why? It is the best shaving device in the world, and makes self-shaving a pleasure instead of an irksome task. Razors are guarantsed to cive satisfaction.

GILLETTE SAFETY RAZORS

RAZORS COMPLETE . . EXTRA BLADES \$1.00 Per Do

Company of the

## SMOKING JACKETS BATH ROBES

# HEADQUARTERS FOR

The tide of Christmas shopping has set towards Austin's and every day from now on will swell the ranks of buyers and multiply sales. There's a Christmas aspect throughout the entire store. Never have we made such spleudid preparations

— never has this store realized so nearly the ideal in every-

thing that makes a store attractive. The largest assortments, the best selected goods, the finest displays, the lowest prices for right qualities—all these are realized at Austin's. We want you to come here as often as you can whether you care to buy or not, and to out of town people we extend a cordial invitation to make this store headquarters. There are many points of interest. Be sure to see

### Too Many Furs! Too Much Mild Weather!

The two reasons in a nutshell why from now until Christmas you can buy Furs at Bargain Prices. Our Fur Stock is the largest and most varied we have ever shown. Styles are right, qualities are the best-and we are making he prices so as to more than double the usual Christmas trade.

Every Fur in the Store at a D'scount of from 10 to 20 per cent. Brown Furs are all the rage this year and our stock of Mink, etc., is immense.

### Neckwear and Gloves for Christmas Shoppers.

Something New for the Holidays in Lace Collars and Cuff Sets and Chemi New Fancy Stock Collars, trimmed with chiffon and applique, in individual boxes for Christmas Gifts. 50c to 75c each.

Fancy Collars in all shades and new styles, chiffon trimmings. Special 250 New Embroidery Collar and Cuff Sets in the eyelet and solid embroidery Special 25c set. Embroidery Collar Tops, 5c, 1oc. 15c, and 25c each.

### Holiday Gloves for Women.

Superb in style, perfect in fit and finish, gloves that meet every idea of

orrectiess and good taste.

Ladies' Kid Gloves, Paris made, latest styles in stitching, in all the new shades, including Purple, Royal, Green, and all shades of tan, every pair gua-

### Sterling Silver and Other Novelties for Christmas.

Gold-plated Collar Pins, 25c to 5oc a pair. Gold-plated Waist Sets. 25c to 75c Set. Enamelled Shirt Waist Sess, 35c Set. Cut Steel Belt Buckles, 50c to 75c each.
Beauty Pins, in Gold-plated and Enamelled, 5c each.

JAP CHINA-A Choice Collection of Bon-Bon Dishes, Candlesticks Cups and Saucers, Cream Pitchers, Olive Dishes. Choice, 25c each. In Sugar and Crems, at 50ct and 90c Set. Jap Tea Sets, consists of Teapot, Sugar and Cream, from \$1,00 to \$2.25

Spoon Trays, Fern Pots, Cake Plates, Vases, and Cups and Saucers, pretty rich decorations of blue and gold.

## Sale of Initial Handkerchiefs

Men's Initial Linen Handkerchiefs, neat half inch hera. Special 20c, or

Special Handkerchief Values—Special linen hdkfs. ½ inch hem at 15c each or \$1.50 dozen. Men's Excelda Hdkfs, pretty colored borders 15c each. Men's Lawn Hemstitch Hdkfs., special at 4 for 25c.

Neckwear for Gifts The handsomest range of Holiday Neckwear we have ever shown. Special les at 25c and 50c. Also special boxed lines at 50c.

Remarkable Values in Jewelry—Those inexpensive yet handsome little articles that are always appreciated. Very special 4 collar buttons, pearl backs, and a pair pearl cuff buttons on cards at 25c. Cuff Links in solids and links, special at 25c. Separate Boxed Cuff Links, color guaranteed, 50c, 75c and \$1. Scarf Pins for Ties and neck scarfs at 25c, 50c and \$1.

## Hosiery Gloves Neckwear

### Suitable Things for a Man's Christmas.

Fancy Vests Smoking Jackets Dressing Gowns Cardigan Jackets New Hats Fur Lined Coats Sweaters

Underwear, &c.

### Christmas Decorations

Our Holly this year is exceptionally nice-very green leaves, and well berried. The Holly wreaths are well made, and show lots of red berries in the green leaves. Some of these we have tied with a yard of bright scar'et ribbon-it is very effective. Our evergreen wreathing is well made, and if soaked in water and allowed to drip, will

last for weeks. Our Christmas Crackers are a good table decoration. Very beautiful colors, and exceedingly nice things to be found in each. Our paper doilies, and paper cups are also very useful, reasonable in price, and effective as a decoration.

If you will pick out what you want, we will send them to you when you wish. In this way you get the best selection and pick out what you want at your leisure.

HOLLY WREATHS, 25c cach HOLLY WREATH and RIBBON,

EVERGREEN WREATHING, 5c

CHRISTMAS CRACKERS, 25c, PAPER DOILIES, different si es

PAPER CUPS, different shapes. FANCY BOXES, from 25c to \$3.00 CHRISTMAS BELLS, 50c each. CHRISTMAS BELLS, in chocolat

H.Malcolmson

\*\*\*\*\*

## **A Cutlery** Present.

The recipient of a cutlery present is sure to remember and appreciate the gift long after a great many other presents would be gone and

We have laid in a stock with the express purpose of pleasing those wish to give something that will be worth receiving.

Table Cutlery in Silver Plated or

Pocket Cutlery at all prices.

Carvers with or without cases. Silver Plated Berry Spoons, Meat Forks, Gravy Ladles, &c.

will deliver all Chri Goods when you desire.

J. C. Wanless 4 Doors East of Market King Street, ++++++++++++++++++++++++

### STYLISH UMBRELLAS SUITABLE FOR GIFTS...

An umbrella is always a us al gift. Those we are now showing have beauty as well as

They look well, they wear cell and the giver of one is held grateful remembrance.

It would be sensible policy to buy some of these and lay them away for Christmas gifts,

Shall we engrave one or or you? This we do free.

\*\*\*\*\* I. W. POILE

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

### Leather Goods

-AT-

#### McCall's Drug Store

If there is any one part of our immense stock of Sundries which is better than any other part it is our variety of Leather Goods for Christmas giving. It is a pleasure to us to have anyone call and ask us to show some Leather goods for we know that a larger or better assorted stock cannot be found in the city. Space will not allow us to enumerate the many lines we carry, but we mention a few ,-

25c to \$6.00. Ladies' Hand Purses 50c to \$8.50. Ladies' Bags \$1.00 to \$4.00. Music Rolls 50c to \$300. Card Cases Travelling Companions \$1.50 to \$10.00. Portfolios - -

Call and See Them

Buy this week and avoid the rush.

A. I. McCall & Co, Ltd., Druggists

Hockey Executive, Garner House Young Men's Club, Park St. S. S. Hall, at 8. Chatham Lodge, No. 29, I. O. O. Oddfellows' Temple, at 8.

The Local Budget

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best—the Lord Lake. Mrs. E. M. Sharpe, of Ingersoll, vas a guest in the city yesterday. Smoke Quail on Toast Cigars, 50. Clear Havana filled.

Remember the cooking sale to-mor-ow in Alexandra Block. Come and

Miss M. Fuller, of Learnington, spent yesterday with his Chatham friends.

Miss Ruby Gordon, of Wallaceburg, is the guest of Miss Mary McKeough, Head street, for a few days.

There is more fun in moving plc-tures than anything else. See them at the Grand Friday and Saturday. The American Vitograph Co., with moving pictures, puts the world before you. Don't miss this entertainment. Prices 15, 25 and 35 cents.

The Ark window is this week filled with gold plated mirrors, photo frames, ornaments and decorated art glassware. A visit to this store wil

The Moving Picture Co., which is to play here on Friday and Saturday of this week, are playing London now, and to-day the London Free Press gives them a splendid pre states.

It must be gratifying to Mr. Von Gunten to know that his efforts in giving Chatham the finest jewelry store west of Toronto are appreciated. The Christmas trade of this firm so far is more than double any year of the twenty-nine they have been in business in Chatham.

Boys or Girls or attractive roung.

Boys or Girls or attractive young ladies wanted. If you have only a few spare hours, you can employ them profitably and earn money for Christmas; if you want to give your entire time to the work you can earn a nice living. The best of it is, you don't need any money to start. A complete outfit free. P. O. Drawer No. 999. Buffalo, N. Y.

#### CHATHAM'S ONLY MILLINERY STORE

Special Sale in Laces and Ribbons.

Taffeta Ribbon at 50c for 35c, and
Satin and Taffeta Ribbons up as high
as 25c for 12½c. Alsc Ribbons at 20c
for 10c. Laces. Regular 30c and
25c for 12½c, and 15c Laces for 5c,
and also Fancy Chiffon at Reduced

O. A. GOOKSLEY, King S: \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

P. B. Fetterly, of London, an old Chatham boy is spending a few days in town on business.

water Mils, barrister, of Ridgetown, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave town, was in the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave to the winter with their son, Dr. C. A. Snell.

Robert Lynn, who has been continued to his home for the positional business,

It is a new town with the Misses Lane, Gravel Road.

Mr. The professional business, and the city to-day on professional business,

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. G. Snell leave to the winter with their son, Dr. C. A. Snell.

Robert Lynn, who has been continued to his home for the positional business, and the city to-day on professional business, and the c

A \$10,000 moving picture outfit at the Grand on Friday and Saturday with Saturday matinee. Prices 10

15 and 25 cents; matinee 10 and 25 A meeting of the executive com-

mittee of the Chatham Hockey Club will be held to night in the Garner House to complete arrangements for entering the Western League. When in want of design work gotten up in the most artistic manner, the Victoria Avenue Green Houses can supply your wants. Prices the lowest. Phone 181.

Cleared from the customs this morning, twelve of those brilliant 8-inch cut glass bowls. The last possible to get. These were ordered in August last. Good value at \$8.50, to-morrow only will \$5.00 get one. A most handsome Christmas present.

The Moving Picture Co., which is Don't delay but avoid the noliday

Roy Tobey, of The Two T.'s, who has been ill for the past seven weeks with appendicitis, is gradually improving and gaining strength in St. Joseph's Hospital.

Miss Gertrude Dezelia, daughter of Miss Gertrude Dezena, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dezella, gave a very enjoyable birthday party last evening. A large number of her friends were present and a most en-joyable time was spent.

#### POOR SWEEPING

Several of the King street men was swept this morning and as a result stores were filled with dust and what goods were outside were covered with dust. One merchant suggested that the street be sprink-led before it is swept.

## \*

Instead of going to a clothing store and buying an overcoat that was made for "just anybody," and that never quite fits anybody.

COME TO US and let us make you an Overcoat that is cut just to suit you—one that haugs right and looks right and wears right.

MORLEY & CO., TAILORS ..... IMPORTERS 

## MAY BE SAVED

Continued from Page 1.

Railway committee. The superintendent of the ceme-tery reported on several graves which have been changed.

The electric railway asked for an electric light on the corner of Third and King streets, Referred to Pro-perty.

perty.

A communication was read from A. R. Scott complaining of a plank sidewalk which has been placed on the north side of Cornhill street. Referred to Board of Works.

C. R. Charteris asked relief from dog tax. Referred to Finance committee.

J. R. McGregor, Humane Officer submitted his annual report, which

was adopted.

Mayor Cowan presented the Council with the lease of Tecumseh Park, which he has been instrumental in securing. The lease gives the Council control subsequent to the militia.

Ald. Potter moved the lease be signed by the Mayor and Clerk. As chairman of the Parks committee, Ald. Potter was happy to see a settlement alike satisfactory to the city and the militia. Ald. Westman seconded and the motion carried.

Ald. Austin reported that the city industrial concerns enjoying exemptions from the city had been visited and it was found that they were were living up to their agreements with the city.

Ald. Edmondson said he was a member of the Industrial committee

ember of the Industrial committee

member of the Industrial committee and he regretted to say Ald. Austin, the chairman, had never notified him of this Important matter.

Ald. Austin apologised. He said he thought it was the chairman's duty to recollect these details.

Ald. Marshall for Finance reported that the Adventists be granted exemption from taxation, also that the city purchase 500 copies of industrial newspaper, that tennis club be relieved of the general tax.

To the last clause Ald. O'Keefe and Ainsworth moved in amendment that

To the last clause Ald. O'Keefe and Ainsworth moved in amendment that the remittance be not granted.

The original motion carried.
Ald. O'Keefe reported for the Board of Works on the various manholes and submitted recommendations thereon. Ald. O'Keefe also submitted suggestions as to the improvement of civic work, viz., the employment of an engineer to lay out the work and a superintendent to carry it out.

Ald. Potter reported for the Parks and Cemetery committee that the Fraser monument needed attention and that the owners be notified. Ald. Westman for Property reported that light be granted on St. Clair

street.
Ald. Edmondson called attention to a dangerous spot on St. Clair street.
Board of Works. Dr. Charteris dog tax was remit-

ed. On motion of Ald. Edmondson and Westman, the Mayor was accorded a vote of thanks for his action in securing the lease of Tecumseh

Park.
Ald. Austin moved that the electric road the notified that the fenders used on the cars were not satisfactory. Carried.

tory. Carried.
Ald. Westman moved that Mr Bunning's claim for a fish stall at 875 be not considered. He thought 8100 should be forthcoming. The Mayor and Ald. Austin thought the committee had not considered that \$100 was almost a prohibitory rental for a fish merchant. Ald. Austin moved in amendment that \$75 be collected.

Ald. Westman's motion carried.

Ald. Vestman's motion retreated his proposed ballot to deal with the market front, the ratepayers to express their choice at the polls.

The Mayor and Ald. Austin op-

The Mayor and Ald. Austin opposed submitting the question to the people. Ald. Austin was particularly vigorous in opposing the proposed sale of the market front.

Ald. Potter said the submitting of the three propositions was previous. the three propositions was previously opposed by the Council and he thought the people should have the

The matter was laid over until nex Monday night's meeting.
Ald. King moved that the furnishing of the Police Station be left with the Building committee. Carried.

All the members of the City Council were present at last evening's ses

For quality, workmanship and every detail, Sugar Beet Cigars lead—5e

Leave orders at Tschirhart's Music Store for Choice out flowers and floral designs. All orders promptly filled.

#### CHATHAM REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE BUREAU

Buys, Sells, Negotiates Sale Every Description

MONEY TO LOAN AT REASONABLE

Offers the Best Fystem

Represents the safest Fire Life, Siekness and Acciden Insurance Companies. Business Solicited

Agents Wanted to solicit an R. A. MURPHY, General Ag

# Store

### Specials From **GRAY'S**

News

Everything new for Holiday Gifts Best store for popular priced goods Read this list right through, then come and see the goods and you'll surely

100 Fruit or Salad Sets, German, apanese, French and Austrian China 13 piece Sets, 75c, \$1.25, \$2, \$2.50,\$3, 84 and \$5. 200 Cake Plates, rich gold trim

mings, pansy, rose and chrysanthemum lecoration, 15c, 20c, 25c, 35c,50c,75c 200 Salad or Fruit Bowls, new hapes and designs, exclusive pattern French, German, Austrian and Japan ese. 15c, 25c, 5oc, 75c, \$1, \$1.25 to

1000 Bread and Butter Plates, at elegant assortment, new goods, fine thin china—5c, 7c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c,

75 Spoon Trays, flat and some with nandles, 15c, 20c, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1

\$1.25. 300 Cups and Saucers, rich lustre and gold decoration, some large, some

small, good value at 25c, now 15c. 50c Cups and Saucers. German English and Japanese china, new shapes and designs, worth from 35c to

50c, all on sale special at 25c. 100 Sugar and Cream Sets, very special lines, new goods, make usefu presents, odd shapes. 25c, 35c, 50c

75c, \$1, \$1 50, \$2.50, \$3 pair. A word about Jardineres and Vases.

A new lot has just arrived and been opened up for Special Holiday Sale. Nothing nicer to decorate a home of please a friend. Come and see the new ones and you'll surely want one for a particular friend.

About Dinner Sets.

As you know our store is small, so we had to find room elsewhere and have leased the rooms upstairs for displaying our new stock for the Holiday season. Ask for a change to look at have leased the rooms upstairs for displaying our new stock for the Holiday Season. Ask for a chance to look at \$8, \$10, \$12.50 to \$50

Tea Sets in China, German, Japanese, French and fine English goods-\$3, \$4. \$5, \$6 to \$18.

Don't forget the place, the popular price store, and that we are ready that we are ready now and willing to give you the best goods at lowest prices.

KING ST. Opposite Merchants Bank

## Annual Dec. Sale at the Gordon Store Bargains for Fell Pocket-books

WINTER DRESS GOODS

35c to 65c Waistings at 32c and

45c and 5oc Cloths and Tweeds

38c and 32c 65c, 75c, \$1 Hancy Tweeds 50c \$1 and \$1.25 Basket Weaves,

Tweed Suitings, Lustres, etc.

Bright fancy patterns at 5c 15c and 18c, heavy, for Kim

New and wide Fleeced Backs, 16 and 14c

30 in. Flannelettes, per yd, 50

Boys Shirting, plaid shakers, 7c

Extra heavy and wide, 8, 10,120

Bargain Box of Travellers' Sam-

ples, marked to sell at the

Pine fancy fleece back Shirt-

waists, 50c, 75c and gr, Decem

WRAPPERS

SHIRTWAISTS,

wholesale cost price.

ber Sale 40c, 60c, 75c

nas, 121/2c

For the Biggest Val-Winter Goods; Fal

CLOTH JACKET SALE Bargain Table Coats, \$2. \$2.50,

Long Covert, Frieze and Kersey Coats, Black and Fawn, \$8.50, \$9. \$10, \$12.50, \$15

#### GIRLS' COAT SALE

Ages from 5 years to 15, with with capes, fancy trimming, belts, Ulsters or Reefers, \$1.75, \$2, \$2.25, \$2.50 and \$2.75.

Tweed Coats, \$2.50, \$1.75, \$3 to \$3.50 .

TAILORED SUIT SALE The finest lot of Ladies' Tailored Suits and the biggest values

in price from \$9.00 to \$20

ever shown in Chatham, ranging

#### RAINCOATS

Great Bargains in Rainproofs. \$6 50 Coats, Black or Fawn at \$7 00 Navy Coats with cape, ette Coats Fawn or Cravenette Coats Fawn of Grey, \$4.98 \$12. \$13, \$16 and \$20 Craven

eite Rainproof Coats from \$9.98 to \$11.98.

Black all wool Serges, sale 25c 65c Black Panama Cloth, sal 75c Black Costume Serge, 50 in, 50c Chiffon Venetian Cloths, shrenk, 60c 54 in. Basket Cloth, \$1, for 50c \$1.50 Priestley, Black and White, FUR'S LES

Here is our surpassing success Ruffs 4 tails, \$1, \$1, 25, \$1,50 to Ruffs. 8 talls, fine, fancy, \$4.50 Isabella Fox, Baum Fox, Mar-tin Fox Scarfs, \$6, \$10, \$12, \$14, \$17 and \$20. Special December Sale Fur Coats

HOLIDAY SILK SALE Fancy Stripes and Plain Silks 25c soc. to \$1 Plain Taffeta Stiks, fine quality, 5oc.
72c. and \$1 fine Black Chiffon, Taffetas, December Sale 54c. and

69c. Nothing nicer for Christs.

LINENS AND ORGANDIES: About 20 odd dozen of Table Napkins, priced for this sale, ranging per dozen from 69c. to

Mill Ends of Table Lines Organdies 2 vds wide-60c for 50c; 50 for 40c; 40 for 30c

HANDKERCHIEFS Winter weight Cashmerette Hose

Heavy Ribbed Cashmere Hose,] Extra Heavy Ribbed Cishmere for children, all sizes, sale 25c 25c. Fine Embroidery Hand-

Our Furs are Fine for Christmas Presents

## WILLIAM GORDON

Wine Sets and Lemonade Sets are also useful and appropriate gift goods. \$1 to \$3.50.

Carving Sets

Are worthy of special mention at this feasting season when so many fowl are gracing our tables. We have a lot of handsome sets in fancy lined cases. Knives, Forks and Spoons, 1847, Rogers Bros. best plated goods. Knives, Forks and Spoons, 1847, Rogers Bros. best plated goods. Identify the season when the many considerable we have and find at our popular prices that they are very ready sellers. Come in and see them.

The December number of the Canadian Magazine is to hand, and is one of which all true Canadians may justly feel proud. The contributors are chiefly Canadians and namber amongst them such well known writtens as Sir Gilbert Parker, Virna Sheard, Jean Blewett, etc. The illustrations of "The Harbors of Canadians will be a revelation of our great shipping facilities, not only to foreigners, but also to many Canadians. "Canada After Twenty Years," by Sir Gilbert Parker, will be read with interest by both men and women. The magazine should find a place in all Canadian homes. Published by The Ontario Publishing Co., Toronto. The December number of the Cana

Complete sets \$4.50, \$6.50, The Poole Publishing Co. have for warded us a copy of Booth Tarkington's latest story, "The Conquest of Canaan." The scene is laid in a small town in Indiana. The conquest is made by Ariel Tabor and Joe Louden, a girl and boy who, as children, were the two black sheep of the town. They leave the town for a time and the tide turns in their favor, in spite of obstacles, unon their return. The story is tol' in Booth Tarkington's own charming style. Anyone at a loss what book 'to give as a Christmas gift can make no mistake in choosing this. warded us a copy of Booth Tarking

mistake in choosing this. KEITH'S.

The monthly publication by Wm.
T. Comstock, New York, entitled
"Architects' and Builders' Magazine," may be said to be in a class by
itself. The manner in which it deals
with modern building the world over
easily places it in the foremost ranks
of building magazine publications
now before the public.

## City of Chatham Taxes

After Thursday, the 14th instant. 2 per cent. will be added to all Unpaid Taxes for 1905. Payment should be made at the Collector's Office, Harrison Hall, on or before the

penalty.
WM. RANNIE,
Collector. Ask for Minard's and take no other

# Avoid Holiday Rush

Haye a Better Choice

Rings, Diamonds, Silverware....

Lockets,

Umbrellas.

Bracelets,

Chains Clocks And hundreds of beautiful articles suitable for

NO CHARGE FOR ENGRAVING. VONGUNTEN'S, RELIABLE

THIBODEAU & CO Drossmaking

Just Placed in Stock For Christmas Gifts

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Umbrellas

Natural Wood Handles

Horn Handles Pearl Handles

inspection.

Prices, \$1.50 to \$6,00 Our stock of Christmas Goods now ready for you

with Sterling Silver

or Gold Plated

# A Delicious Drink

minest Japan grown.

Moad Packets Only. 25c. 30c. 40c, 50c. and 60c per Ib. At-all Groc rs. Highest Award St. Louis, 1904.

#### District Doings

LEAMINGTON

The principal topic of interest at the former. His case continues very serious.

On the 20th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ellis, a son.

Mrs. Fitchell, of Marlborough St., is spending a few days in Detroit.

Mr. Gus Campbell and Mr. Lew parks an attractive and up-to-date park, to be owned by the company and the town. A by-law will be submitted to the people and will be voted rupon at coming municipal elections. In case this is carried the road will be built along the first concession for Lake Shore road from Kingsville sto Eric extreet, Leamington, and thence north to Talbot street, turning eastward to Wheatley and oneward through the County of Kent too'Chathem. We have long felt the meed of a park on our beautiful bay and indeed it is fast becoming a deep source of regret that a suitable site for one was not purchased years ago, but this opportuaity would for the future give all we could desire as a resort free to the townspeople and

also the advantage of an electric

Universal sympathy is felt for the Rev. Alex. Scratch and his devoted wife during the prolonged illness of the former. His case continues very



#### \* \$1.25 Gas! WHY NOT LIGHT YOUR HOUSE WITH GAS. .

If you now use Gas for fuel you can at very small cost have the necessary piping and faxtures installed, pay a small sum monthly on the completed work, and pay the low price through one meter, for fuel and light, of \$1.25 net per 1,000 cubit feet of Gas.

See The Gas Company About It.

### Chatham Mineral Springs!

MOTEL SANITA, just completed, new and modern, every parected with the most con te Mineral Rath House in Canad cheerfully situated, facing Tecumseh Park.

#### The Mineral Water

Supplied from a deep rock flowing well, is pronounced by expert chemists to be equal to the water of Carlsbad. We are constantly reserving testimonials from people the Baths Lave cured of Rheumatism in riss-worst forms, Geut, Uric Acid, all diseases of the kidneys, Bladder, Blood, Skin and nerves. MODERATE RATES. Write for particulars.

The Chatham Mineral Water Company, Limited.

## THE NEW DOUBLE BREASTER

Have you seen the New Double Breasted Overcoat. It's a very popular coat with the young fellows.

Wide collar and lapels, full, long and comfortable. Material is Fancy Cheviot in modest patterns and

Just the coat for driving or for travelling There will be no delay, merely a matter of making your selection at

#### LIFE IN BIG LONDON SOME OF THE THINGS AMERICAN VIS Armours ITORS SOON LEARN.

Brequent Blowing of Cab Whistler Passling at First - No Bootblack

Stands In British Capital-Women

Americans sojourning in London are puzzled in their first few hours there to account for the frequent blowing of mouth whistles in their vicinity, resembling the blasts of sound with which the New York postman accom-panies the delivery of mail. A Yankee who arrived in the British metropolis

one summer night greatly fatigued by his journey retired early at his lodgings, but was kept awake until mid night by the unaccustomed and con-tinuous blowing of whistles, which suggested to his drowsy brain that letter carriers were calling every few min-utes at the adjoining houses.

At breakfast the next morning he re-marked that he had often heard of London's frequent mail deliveries, but he had never supposed there were so many of them as he had heard the previous

"Heard?" inquired his seat mate. "Yes; didn't you hear the postmer

blowing their whistles every few min-utes until after midnight?"

The English are too polite to laugh in one's face, but a suppressed snicker went around the table, breaking into audible laughter as another New York-er, who had been in London twentyfour hours longer than the new arrival

explained glibly:
"Why, those were cab calls you heard. Every London house has a cab whistle. One blast brings a hansom, two a four wheeler.'

Cabs are essential to London, where antiquated stages are the only means of going in many directions, and they serve as express wagons as well as conveyances. Few persons send their baggage ("luggage," it is called over there) in advance to railway station or steamer pier. A cab is called at the last moment, and the cabman puts trunk or valise on the roof of his vehi-cle. If one's parcels are numerous a four wheeler or omnibus is employed arriving with luggage the same method is used to carry it to one's home or lodgings.

As the baggage covered hansom bowls along two or three ragged and dirty men or boys may be seen running beside it. If any distance is to be trav ersed, it will be noticed fhat some of these drop behind one after the other. while others take their places. They are "runners," usually men on their "uppers," who earn an occasional shilling by following cabs to their destinations and carrying the luggage upstairs

for the arriving passengers. It would not occur to the average side his own home for his morning "shine." Shoes are generally polished in the house by the maidservant, if one lacks valet or footman, and the bootblack stand is conspicuously absent from the British capital. Bootblacks, often aged men, bearing the label "Licensed Messenger" on their coat sleeve, have foot boxes at the thoroughfares and ply their trade for the benefit of transients and foreigners. They are seldom patronized by the

One of the first inquiries made by a washerwoman. But it is soon found that this useful person is not to be had. Very little washing is done at home or taken out by washerwomen in London, all the soiled linen being \* sent to a laundry. The result is that Americans, accustomed to the weekly visit of the family washerwoman at ne, find their laundry bills not a small item of expense on the other side

of the ocean. A surprise is in store for the new householder in London who asks the maidservant to clean the windows, "Indeed, ma'am, I'd be arrested if I the task. And, sure enough, it is learned that owing to accidents to women cleaning windows from the outside the authorities have ordained that women must not risk life or limb at window cleaning. The penalty for disobeying the regulation is a fine of \$5. So men employed as porters in furniture stores and similar shops earn many odd sixpences and shillings by spending their weekly half holidays as window cleaners to householders lacking men serv-

Most of the small London shopkeepers and their assistants take a half hol iday on Thursday instead of Saturday, as in New York, the butchers closing up Tuesday afternoons. This practice causes inconvenience to newcomers un-til guarded against by early purchases.

"Look here, old chap, I'll give you a valuable tip," said the experienced married man to the prospective bride-groom. "Don't let your wife keep a diary on the honeymoon. My wife did the t, and now whenever we quarrel she brings it out and reads some of the idiotic things I said to her then."

Quite English. She—Is that an English coat you are wearing? He—Yes. How do you like it? She-To be frank with you, it is a fright. He-It wouldn't be English if it wasn't.

"How do you suppose that fellovever got through college?" "By means of a college coach,"

It is great and manly to disdain disguise; it shows our spirit and proves our strength.—Young

#### Makes Food More Nourishing

Extract

of Beef

We do not claim that Armour's Extract of Beef is a food. It is a tonic for the appetite—is soothing and grateful to the stomach—helps one to get all the nourishment out of the food insures quick, sound digestion.

Start dinner with a clear bouillon or savory soup with Armour's Extract of Beef added to give the true beef flavor -and see how easily the dinner is

A party of chauffeurs were walking g Cape May beach. One of them picked up a handful of sand and said: Why is it that one beach is firm enough for motor cars, while another is so soft a child can hardly walk on "The sand in your hand answers that question," the second chauffeur replied. "See how fine it is." The sand was, indeed, as fine as dust, as fine as talcum powder. "The finer a sand is the more closely it will pack and, by consequence, the firmer sur-face it will offer," went on the second chauffeur. "This fine sand here makes roadbed many feet in depth-a roadbed you couldn't pack more closely if rolled it a hundred years with ndred ton roller. Study the sand at Long Branch or Asbury Park. It is prettier than this. It is made of septrate grains that you can readily dis-inguish. Each is a perfect cube, white or black or red-a beautiful clear colored shape that it is a pleasure to look Each is about fifty times bigger a the Cape May grains; hence the sand of Asbury Park or Long Branch won't pack down, won't make a firm roadbed. There is only one place in the country where the sand is finer than at Cape May, and that place is



#### Food Value

Mooney's Perfection Cream Sodas are crisp squares of wholesome nourishment. They are the food that builds strength and muscle. They are as easily digested by the child and invalid as by the sturdy workman. They contain ALL the food properties of finest Canadian wheat flour, in a form that delights the appetite. Always fresh and crisp in the moisture-proof packages. At all grocers in 1 and 3 pound packages.

Artists as Frame Makers. a sore question with the average artist, as any one of them will confess and any frame maker testify to. Most painters have definite ideas on how heir canvases should be framed, but when it comes to ordering and paying for them, that is another matter. As great an artist as Alma-Tadema always designed his own frames, and not a few New York painters design and make their own. There is one Boston artist who began by making his own frames after his own designs, and his effects were so artistic that severa! of his colleagues in that city begged him to make frames for them. He consented to do this in a few cases, until the fame of his work spread abroad, and as a result he received so many orders that he set up a frame making shop of his own.

The Stone of Destiny.

The historic stone known in Scotland as the "Stone of Destiny," in Ireland as the "Lia Faif" and in England as "Jacob's Pillar" or the "Scone" is said to have been brought from Egypt to Ireland by a beautiful princess, who plead if in Tayris bull it for the stone in the said of the stone in the said in Tayris bull it. placed it in Tara's hall in 580 B. C. present this very ancient relic is fastened underneath the coronation chair in Westminster abbey. The stone is of dark color, streaked with red, and is twenty-six inches long, sixteen inches wide and eleven inches thick. Its surface is much defaced, and a deep crack almost divides if into two parts. Tradition says that this stone can be trac-ed back to the plains of Luz, where Jacob laid his head upon it and dreamed his ladder dream, and that at the captivity Jeremiah carried it to Egypt.

#### After Fifteen Years

By VIRGINIA LEILA WENTZ Copyright, 1905, by I. D. Marshall

For almost a twelvementh now Mr Fawcett had bought his daily morning paper of a certain little newsgirl be neath the steps of his L station, "Little Timber Toes" was the nickname the boys had given her. She was a cripple

carried a crutch. and carried a crutch.

"I've missed you, sir. Indeed, you stayed away so long I began to think you weren't coming back at all." "Little Timber Toes" laughed at her own falsehood, showing all her fine, infan-tile teeth at once. Mr. Fawcett had spent Sunday with some of his New Jersey relatives, and this was the greeting he received from under the L stairs

on Tuesday morning.
"So you missed me, did you?" It was good to be missed, and it warmed the cockles of this old bachelor's dry heart. "Well, I had a nice time in the country

"Ah," said the child, leaning slightly forward on her crutch, "it must be like fairyland in the country. Mother used to live in the country, and she's told me all about it. And did you go in the me an about it. And did you go in the woods—the deep woods? They must smell so fresh and cool and delicious. And then the shade!" She had a long vista of thoughts in her eyes—an entire forest. She was to all appearances a pretty child of twelve, with delicate features and a mass of brown hair. Just now some rays of sunlight slant-ing upon her head from the platform above made it sparkle like gold.

"Do you know," she went on, seeing that her customer was in no especial hurry to catch his train, "I often pic-ture the woods to myself-trees growing up by themselves without being planted, squirrels running over the boughs, birds singing in the branches.

Oh, it must be wonderful!"
"How would you like to go with me some Sunday to see the woods?" asked the man. "They are all around the city here, to be seen for the mere riding to them in the cars."
"Oh, I should love it!" The big dark

eyes looked disproportionately large in the pale, tiny face. "And I think mother will be sure to let me." added she gravely. "You see, I've told her about you so many times.

Somehow the whole of July slipped by and "Little Timber Toes" did not get to see her dear woods nor the quirrels nor the birds. To be sure, there was no immediate hurry about There was always the facile exuse, "Next week, perhaps-or week after next."

However, there came a morning when as Mr. Fawcett stopped to hand over his coin and take back a paper he found "Little Timber Toes'" place was vacant. Evidently she was late again. The place was still unoccupie the evening; also the following norning. A policeman on the corner being consulted, thought the child might be ill and gave Mr. Fawcett the ddress where she was supposed to

"Of course she's ill," mused the man as he set out to find her late that aft-ernoon. "Her little face has been unmmonly white of late and her eyes ncommonly big."

On his way up the narrow stairs in the miserable tenement in which the child lived a buxom woman passed him. It turned out to be the janitress "Yes, she's up there all alone, poo little kid T've inst been a-takin' her some gruel. Holy saints, but it's hot up in that attic!" She mopped her prow in confirmation of the statement.

The door of the little attic room was

open, but to the man standing there quietly in the hallway it all seemed quite dark. The shutters were bowed tight, but the August sun threw tiny shafts of light through the slats. As his eyes became used to the half light he saw "Little Timber Toes" sitting close against the wall, where she had been driven by the advancing heat from the window. For coolness she had piled her hair on top of her head. It gave a certain air of distinction. Her exquisite, small face, her shapely little head resting against the dingy wall here in this poverty reduced room, had the antique perfection and grace of an old cameo in a defaced and

scratched setting. He waited for her to move, to look up. He imagined she would hear him breathe, the room was so still, but he had to knock twice before she seemed nect herself from her listless reverie. Then-

"Oh, oh! I-I was wishing you might come!" She reached out her hand for his and held it tight. "Do you know," stroking the hand she clasped with her free one as if to make sure her words would not hurt him, "I kind of thought you'd come, even if you did forget your promise about the dear woods." She smiled, one of her gay, volatile, capricious smiles. And by that he saw that she was better.

He changed the subject abruptly. "How's mother?" he asked.
"Pretty well, thanks. She's in the

tailor trade now."
"The tailor trade, is she? Then shirts didn't pay?" "Not so well as trousers. It's the buttonholes, you see." The child was

Fifteen minutes later, as Mr. Faw-cett was opening the shutters to let in the evening air, a slightly built woman came slowly up the attic stairs. She was very fired, but for the sake of the child she bravely summoned a gay smile, putting her face on dress parade, as it were. For a second, seeing home here."

that there was a stranger in the room stood uncertainly in the doorway;

her show ducterainty in the doorway; hen she went toward lilm.
"I think, sir," she said, with a certain quiet dignity—"I think you must be he gentleman who's been so kind to"— "Kitty!" cried the man, taking an unonscious step toward her. Then they tood and stared into each other's won-

She, worn with work and worry, wa into a chair presently and began to cr softly. He, for his part, paced the room in dazed fashion. He recalled "Little Timber Toes'" innocent disclo sures. Father was dead. She though she was glad. He wasn't fond of chil

Why, he had figuratively shrugge

why, he had aguratively shrugger careless shoulders at the commonplace skeleton laid bare by the child. But now? He turned hot eyes and looke at the pretty, fragile, sobbing creature -Kitty, his Kitty, as he had been use vho had flushed under his first kis Something in his throat swelled big He stood still before the attle window. oing battle with it. In the place of himneys and lightning rods, tiles an slates, came green fields and woods. There was a little vine covered cottage, too, and out of the cottage came a girl as fresh and sweet as the morning. A youth leaned over the gate saying goodby, for he was going off to win fortune for them both. Then he departed, with her moist kiss upon his lips, while the giden morning shone hopefully on the woods and meadows. And, oh, the long misery of that subsequent misunderstanding! Later news had reached him that she was married to an old ri-

val; after that, no news at all.

James Fawcett went near to the veeping little woman and laid his and upon her arm. "Kitty," he said again, "it's years since we saw each other." Fifteen," said she struggling to b

ilm and smiling through her tears That's a long time, James, and time ings many changes." Does it? I don't see them, dear. To

you're just the same.' At his words the woman flushed -- a retty a wild rose flush as any maiden night claim. He drew up a chair for mself and placed it hear her. Then eset about bringing up old tales that ide her cheerful and gave the dim es play. What a dance those same imples used to lead the boys, Billy and Ben and the rest-did she remember? And did she recall the woode hoolhouse? There was a brand nev cick one now. The old farmhouse as down, too, and on its site was a

orgeous brick villa.
Thus, though all the while hunger s gnawing at his heart, he talked erily on and on. Presently he use. He could bear it no longer. e was such a sorrow laden, pale, agile, dear little thing to fight all one against the world. He opened

arms wide. Will you come now, Kitty? It's not

When she laid her hands on his broad oulders and said tremulously, "I'm tired, dear—so tired!" he put his rong arms about her and fondled her ressingly, just as he might have added the child by the wall or any other helpless thing. "Little Timber Toes" all the while looked on and smil-

'And when we go to the woods," she ked presently, "we'll take dear mothr along too?

Well, rather!" answered the man in queer, hoarse tone as he drew the an in his arms still closer.

Fidelity and Affection of a Horse. In the "Memoirs of General Count Segur," an aid-de-camp of Napo-in, the following affecting incident is

n, on Dec. 23, I was unhorsed. My nimal had been wounded by a bullet his chest, from which the blood was reaming, and as he could no longer arry me I had been forced to leave ulders. When I had reached our first outpost, about 300 paces off, I sat grief at the loss of my mount, when plaintive sound and an unexpected ntact caused me to turn my head t was the poor beast, which had rewake of my footsteps. In spite of the distance and the darkness, it had succeeded in finding me and, recognizing me by the light of the campfire, has ne up groaning to lay its head on ulder. My eyes filled with tears at this last proof of attachment, and was gently stroking it when, ex hausted from the blood it had lost and its efforts to follow me, in the midst of the men, who were as surprised and touched as myself, it fell down, struggled for a moment and expired.

An Arctic Dog.

It is said of Dr. John Brown, the gen
lal and much loved author of "Rab and
Itis Friends," that he was personally oed in the middle of a sentence and oked out eigerly at the back of the

"Is' it some one you know?" asked he friend who was with him.
"No." he replied. "It's a dog I don't

An old resident of Edinburgh tells this story: A dog had recently been brought to the city from Iceland and for a long time apparently suffered from all the pangs of homesickness.

Ir. Brown became much interested in the animal and tried frequently to comfort it. At last one day he came

to the house of his friend, Dr. Peddie with a smiling face and said: "That dog is all right now. He went out last night and saw the pole star, and that has made him feel quite at

### Expert Tea Blending

HAVE you ever tried to blend colors to match the shade of the red rose?

Pretty difficult, yet an expert can do it easily. Why? Because he can tell by looking at the rose what colors are required to produce that tint or shade. He can make that precise color every day in the week.

Just as the artist in colors blends the tints of the red rose, so my artists in tea blend the "rich fruity flavor" of Red Rose Tea.

With expert knowledge and intuitive skill he selects the particular picking of rich, strong Indian tea and the precise grade of fragrant, delicate Ceylon, and by skilful blending produces the peerless flavor of Red Rose Tea—a tea which for delicacy and strength is matched by no brand

Red Rose is good Tea T. H. Estabrooks

#### District Doings

SOUTH BUXTON.

Miss Ella Broadbent spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. An-drew Broadbent.

Mr. Art Holland has gone to London, where he has accepted a position as clerk in one of London's large stores.

Miss Hill intends holding her school concert Friday evening, Dec

Mr. Geo. Hatter, who for some years resided near this village, but some time ago moved to the United States, died there a few days ago. The remains were brought here for interment on Friday last.

LEAMINGTON.

At the time of writing, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDonald, Russell street, is the scene of active preparation for the approaching marriage, on the 28th inst., of their daughter, Mrs. Lena Hickson, to Mr. Alonzo Henry, who came from Ohio, and has been engaged in drilling for oil. Several gentlemen of this class have improved the time spent in this town by securing partners for life.

The tea meeting in the Baptist

church last Thursday evening was well attended. The ladies sustained their reputation for providing a first class and abundant supply of refreshments. Morris' orehestra furnished music. A very pleasant social evening was spent and the amount of the proceeds was very satisfactory. A new difficulty has arisen in connection with the electric railroad. Messrs. A. P. Burch, assistant engineer employed by the company, and Wm. Simpson, have been negotiating with the land owners along the first concession road for right of way, and in several cases have failed to secure it. Unless some agreement can be reached this may necessitate a change in the route and also in the proposed plan of the council for submitting a by-law asking a bonus to be applied for purchasing a park.

the same side of the street.

Lots of good ten cent Cigars, but only one best-the Lord Lake. The hardest man to preach to is

For quality, workmanship and every detail, Sugar Beet Cigars lead,

own by securing partners for life. Loudly professed friendship usual-The tea meeting in the Baptist ly comes to an early end.

SUNLIGHT Clothes washed by Sunlight Soap are cleaner and whiter than if washed in any other way. Chemicals in soap may remove the dirt but always injure the fabric.

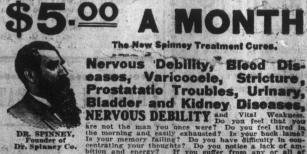
Sunlight Soap will not injure the most dainty lace or the hands that use it, because it is absolutely pure and contains no injurious chemicals. Sunlight Soap should always

other soap, but is best when used in the Sunlight way. 5c. Buy it and follow 5c. \$5,000 REWARD will be paid proves that Sunlight Soap contains

or hard rubbing is necessary.

Sunlight Soap is better than

Lever Brothers Limited, Toronto



DR. SPINNEY CO, 290 Woodward Ave.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY Corrected Oct. lat, 1905.

GOING WEST GOENG EAST † 7 a.m. daily, ex. Sunday 1,03 a.m. \*2.18 a.m. Express.... 1.13 a.m. 

THE WABASH HAILROAD CO. QOING WEST EAST BOUNG No.1 6.45 a.m. No. 2—12.23 p.m 3—1.07 p.m. 4—11.19 p.m 3—1.07 p m....... 13—1.25 p.m...... 5—9.30 p.m...... 9—1.13 a.m..... 6—1 32 a.m 8—2.49 p,m

W. E. RISPIN, W. P. A. 115 King St. Chatham.

GRAND TRUNK Takes effect Sunday, Oct. 1st, 1905. WEST.

1 8.30 a.m. for Windsor, Letroit and 1 3.30 a.m. for Windsor, Letroit and in termédiate stations except Sunday 12.52 b.m. for Windsor and Detroit. 2 a.18 p.m. for Windsor and Detroit. 9.19 p.m. for Detroit, Chicago and west International Limited daily †Mixed 2.30 p. m.

28.37 a.m. tor Lendon, Hamilton, Toron , Suffalo †2.90 p.m. for London, Toronto, Mon-real, Buffalo and New York. treal, Buffalo and New York.

45, 18 p.m. for London, rossto, Montreal and East.

2,00 p.m. for London and intermediate 1 Baily except anday : \*Daily.

PERE MARQUETTE R.R.

" East 8.55 a.m. 8.55 a.m. ing North-Mixed

Going North—Billed

'Arrives from Sarnia 2 p.m.

Eastern Standard Time—
Effective Nov. 5, 1905.

E. BRITTON, D.P.A., London

#### GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY TO BUFFALO and NEW YORK

DAILY SERVICE, on and after Dec leaving CHATHAM 2 p m., connecting at London with Cafe Parlor Car, and at Buff-alo with Pullman Sleeper for New York and Philadelphia.

#### Singla Fare to Guelph. Account of the Annua Winter Fair.

Good going Dec. 9th to 15th, returning until Dec. 18th. For tickets and full information call on W. B. RISPIN, City Agent, 115 King Street; J. C. PRITCHARD Depot Agent

## SYSTEM

Full particulars from any Wabash Agen or J. A. RICHARDSON, District Passenger Agent, North East Corner King and Yonge Streets, and St. Thomas; W. E. RISPIN, C.P.A., Chasham, J. C. PRITCHARD, Depot

#### CANADIAN PACIFIC

Single For the Round Fare Trip

December 9th to 15th, inclusive GUELPH

FAT STOCK SHOW From stations Sharbot Lake and West. Tickets good returning December 18th,

CHATHAM FARE \$4.10. Full particulars from Canadian Pacific gent, W. H. Harper, or write C. B. Poster, D.P.A., Toronto.

LUNCH BOX PAPER

The Planet Office.

Ton Conts worth will song' for an ordinary family

..................

### HE CAN ATTEND TO HIS WORK NOV

Manitoba Man cured by Dodd's Kidney Pills.

Prairies.

Giroux, Man., Dec. 11.-(Special).-

Giroux, Man., Dec. 11.—(Special).—
Mr. Philias Normandeau, a wellknown resident of this place, is one
of thousands of Manitobans who have
found relief from the pains and aches
of Kidney Disease in Dodd's Kidney
Pills. Mr. Normandeau is always
ready to say a good word for the
remedy that brought back his health.
"Yes, I can tell you Dodd's Kidney Pills made a cure of me," he
says. "I had Kidney Disease for
three years. At times I got so bad
I could hardly attend to my work.
I took just five boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and my pains and aches
are all gone and I can work as well
as anybody. To anybody who has
trouble with their Kidneys all I can
say is 'use Dodd's Kidney Pills.'"
Dodd's Kidney Pills always cure
sick Kidneys. With well Kidneys
you can't have Bright's Disease,
Diabetes, Dropsy, Rheumatism or any
of those other fearful and fatal diseases that spring from sick Kidneys.

A Love Test.

This tale is told in the orient: A lady one day found a man following her, and she asked him why he did so. His reply was, "You are very beautiful, and I am in love with you." "Oh, you think me beautiful, do you? There is my sister over there. You will find her much more beautiful than I am. Go and make love to her." On hearing this, the man went to see the sister, but found she was very ugly, so he came back in an angry mood and asked the lady why she had told him a falsehood. She then answered, "Why did you tell and a falsehood?" The man was sur-Ged at this accusation and asked then he had done so. Her answer "You said you loved me. If that n! been true you would not have gone make love to another woman."

YOU'RE ONLY HALE SICK. But nevertheless you for pretty But nevertheless you feel pretty "seedy." Best prescription is Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they tone up the entire system, strengthen the stomach, elevate your spirits and make you feel better in one day. It's by cleaning the body of wastes, by purifying and enriching the blood that Dr. Hamilton's Pills accomplish so much. Very mild, exceedingly prompt and guaranteed in every case. Your druggist sells Dr. Hamilton's Pills of Mandrake and Butternut in yellow boxes, 25c. each, or five for \$1.00. Get the genuine Get the genuine

A trout is a trout from the day it is born, but not until it gets into the ocean is a salmon a salmon. While it lives in a river it is a parr. On the western coast August and September are the months for the principal run of salmon. Early fall is the season for eastern trout, followed by the German brown and Loch Leven in the late fall. Winter and early spring are the season for rainbow trout, and along in February comes the eastern brook trout, which is followed by lake trout and mykiss, commonly known as cut-throat trout, from a peculiar red mark-

Is the great Winter Tourist Route to the South and West, including Old Mexico, the most interesting country on the face of the globe; Texas and California, the lands of sunshine and flowers. The new and elegant trains on the Wabash are the admiration of travellers; every comfort is provided, there is nothing wanting to complete one's happiness; the days and nights pass only too quokity while travelling on the Great Wabash line.

Full particulars from any Wabash Agen or J. A. Kichardson, District Passenger Agent, North East Corner King and Yonge agent age ing Polson's Norvi'ine. For nearly fifty years it has been the standard family liniment of Canada.

The great actress brings a dress over from Paris. It costs her \$1,000. She has to have four maids to help her get into it. When she comes out on the stage the public at once exclaims in

"This is indeed realism!"

What is she representing? Why, Sicilian peasant girl.

BEWARE OF OINTMENTS FOR CA-TARRH THAT CONTAIN MERCURY.

MERCURY.

As mercury will destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering, it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be ssed except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Chemey & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Chemey & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists. Price 75c. per bottle.

Take Hall's Family Pills for con-

The buying of experience does not always prove a paying investment Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, and other throat ailments are quickly re-lieved by Tresolene tablets, ten cents per box. All druggists.

To admit that you are a self-made man is either a boast or a confession.

### "KING HAAKON THE VII."

PRINCE CHARLES MAY TAKE THIS TITLE AS RULER OF NORWAY.

What His Election to This Scandina vian Throne May Mean-Offensive and Defensive Alliance Possible Between Sweden, Norway and Denmark - His Powerful Connection With Several Other Crowned Heads

of Europe. Prince Charles of Denmark will become the first king of independent Norway and this will doubtless mean close alliance between the new kingdom and that of Denmark and possibly an offensive and defensive alliance to which Sweden, Norway and Denmark will all be parties. Prince Charles it the second son of the Crown Charles is the second son of the Crown Prince Frederick of Denmark, is a son-



TO BE KING OF NORWAY. in-law of the King of England, a nep-hew of the King of Greece, a cousin of the Czar of Russia and a grandnephew of Oscar of Sweden.

His mother is a niece of King Os-

car. There is a story that she wished very much to marry her son Charles to Queen Wilhelmina of Holland and to Queen withelmina or Holland and was exceedingly put out when he declined to consider this matrimonial proposition and picked out as his bride the vivacious and witty daughter of King Edward of England, the Princess Maud. The two were first cousins and were ardently in love with each other, and King Edward, then Prince of Wales, was delighted that his favorof Wales, was delighted that his favorite daughter had chosen for a husband so manly and handsome a man as Prince Charles. They were married in 1896, when the Prince was twenty-three and his bride twenty-six. A son, the Prince Alexander, was born in 1902. When the happy pair went to live in Copenhagen the Crown Princess made matters quite uncomfortable for her new daughter-in-law, with the result that Prince and Princess Charles have passed most of their time in England on their estate near Sandringham palace. Both the Prince and his palace. Both the Prince and



TO BE QUEEN OF NORWAY.

in Denmark, and Prince Charles has served as a naval officer and is known as the "sailor prince." It is said that when crowned monarch of Norway he will take the title of Headen VII. The will take the title of Haakon VII. The last of the vikings, who reigned in 1380 was King Haakon VI., and the "sailor prince" is desirous, if he ascends the Norwegian throne, of maintaining Norway's seafaring traditions.

Tapeworms Make Pearls. Tapeworms Make Pearls.

Professor Herdman's recent investigations on the subject of pearl formation have yielded some interesting conclusions. In the great majority of cases it appears that the pearl is due to the presence in the oyster of a marine tapeworm. When the spherical larva of the worm dies nacreous matter is deposited around it, and the resulting mass is known as a pearl. The is deposited around it, and the resulting mass is known as a pearl. The life history of the tapeworm is continued in the bodies of certain species of filefish which prey on the oysters. These filefish, again, are devoured by fish eating rays or sharks. In these latter the tapeworm becomes mature and sets free numerous embryos into the sea. These finally enter the oysters and so complete the life cycle.—London Globe.

Japanese Paper Making. Japanese Paper Making.

The striking point in the manufacture of Japanese paper is the absence of machinery. Everything is done by manual labor. Factories are almost unknown, the industry being carried on in a small way by each family separately. Except where the members of a family are insufficient, there is no hired labor, and consequently paper making families are less affected by the rise and fall in prices which follow the variation in the demand. Lately one or two paper mills have been erected, notably in Osaka and Oli, a suburb of Tokio.

Walking For a Thousand Hours.

The latest remarkable feat in walking has just been accomplished in Manchester. For forty-one days and nights William Buckler, aged fifty-six, an ex-sallor, tramped around the track at the Ardwick athletic ground and completed his two miles and fifty-eight yards each consecutive hour, the total distance traversed in the thousand hours being over 2,028 miles.

#### Suffered for 23 Years With Kidney Trouble.

CURED AT LAST BY GIN PILLS

Whether you are just beginning to feel the first twinges of kidney pains—or whether you have tried for years to find relief—Gin Pills will cure you. Surely you can't doubt their virtues after such a letter as this:

you can't doubt their virtues are sacus-letter as this:

"I sent for a free sample of your Gin Pills some time ago, and found them to give me great relief, so I put myself un-der the treatment, and am now using the third box, and feel myself entirely cured. third box, and feel myself entirely cured. I have suffered with my kidneys for 23 years. At the time I began taking Gin Pills I could not turn in bed without pain. If I moved at night, the pain would be so great that it would wake me up. Now I am free of pain, and feel as well as I did 23 years ago. I feel it my duty to let you know about Gin Pills, so that it might be the means of relieving some other sufferer.

"HENRY WAKEFORD, Toronto."
Gin Pills hold out a guarantee of cer-

Gin Pills hold out a guarantee of cer-tain, quick relief. They will stop the pain—heal the sick kidneys—and build pain—heal the sick kinerys—and build up the whole system—or your druggist will refund your money. That shows our confidence in Gin Pills. We will do more. We will send you a trial box of Gin Pills absolutely free if you will write Gin Pills absolutely free if you will write asking for it and state the name of the paper in which you see this. You can thus test them at our expense and see for yourself whether or not Gin Pills are all that we claim them to be. Gin Pills are for sale at all druggists. 5oc a box—6 boxes for \$2.50. The Bole Drug Co., Winnipeg, Man.

"What sort of people are these who are continually seeking divorce?" asked the reformer, with an agonized

"Married people principally," re-sponded the cheerful idiot, with a

A CERTAIN CURE FOR CROUP. When a child shows symptoms of croup there is no time to experiment with new remedies, no matter how with new remedies, no matter now highly they may be recommended. There is one preparation that can always be depended upon. It has been in use for many years and has never been known to fail, viz: Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. Give it and a quick cure is sure to follow. Mr. M. F. Compton, of Market, Texas, says of it, "I have used Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in severe cases of Cough Remedy in severe cases of croup with my children, and can truthfully say it always gives prompt relief." For sale by all druggists.

"Energy," said the young man who had been calling regularly for about a year, "energy and promptitude are

"Yes, indeed," replied the young lady, with meaning. "Just look at young Mr. Wilson. He only met Miss Anderson two months ago, and now they are en

MUST BE QUICK.

Pains in the stomach and attacks of the colic come on sos uddenly and are so extremely painful that imme-diate relief must be ostained. There is no necessity of sending for a docor in such cases if a bottle Chamberlain's Colie, Cholera and Diarrheea Remedy is at hand. No doctor can prescribe a better medicine. For alle by all druggists.

There are many examples of Lore Palmerston's ready wit in Sr M. E. Grant Duff's recent book, "Notes From

eather bored the House by enumera owed to Hebrew Initiative.

Lord Palmerston in reply gave the
discussion a sprightller turn.

"I quite agree with the honorable
gentleman." he remarked, "Many of us
owe a great deal to the Jews."

#### **Rest and Comfort** For the Kidneys.

If your kidneys are all inflammed—if there are sharp, shooting pains in the small of the back and dull ache through the hips—if there is a constant desire to urinate—if the urine is hot and scalding—if the head aches and specks float before the eyes—you can't imagine what relief there is for you in

THE GENTLE KIDNEY CURE

These wonderful little pills soothe and heal kidneys and bladder—take away all pain—clear the urine—enable one to go through the night without arising—and relieve every trace of your kidney trouble. Rheumatism Too. THE CLAFLIN CHEMICAL CO., LIMITED, HOR - - NEW YORK

After every other process of manufacture is completed H. Q A. S. goldfilled Watch Chains are hardened to prolong their wear-for 10, 15 or 25

vears. Your jeweler sells H. & A. S. Chains Send for the H. & A. S. Chain Book W. & A. SAUNDERS, King & John Sts., Tor

#### Humor and Philosophy By DUNCAN M. SMITH

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

We usually try to get a man's ear for

you will look about you will notice

What a single man doesn't know about women he is willing to learn.

would go about proposing to women they were certain wouldn't have them, as it does the women so much good However, the men may not care to take

It takes a hero to resolve that he will berately be good and let who wil be clever.

Some men are so modest that they never suspect their nerve. Some people who have been there

think that the Chinese in this country might do worse things than to go home and launder the streets of their nati

Can't Kill Him. "I see that Chief Rain-in-the-Face is dead." "Yes, but old Booze - in - the Mouth still flour

Compliments

It all depends on what we mean

The compliments that set the best
Are those that read the other way.
A man may frame a roast in fest
That really is a sweet bouquet.
And when you call your dearest friend
A vilialn of the deepest dye.
Some choice Havanas he may send
Or several bottles extra dry.

It all depends on the intent.

A horse thief, robber or a tramp,
A pirate or a holdup man
And other titles of that stamp
May be the ones that he will court,
The ones that he will feel his due,
And he may laugh and say, "Old sport,
My compliments; the same to you!" It all depends on the intent

So Cozy. The man who lives in a modern flat in a large city has an opportunity of getting better acquainted with himself than he ever was before in his-life. Every time he turns around he meets himself, and he has to spend about half of his time in apologizing to himself

for falling over himself. If he has a wife-and no man rents a flat unless he has one she is ever near, for she can't get very far away The visitor from the country look

about him and wonders where they are all going to sleep, and thinks perhaps it is an imposition for him to accept their hospitality, but when they have turned the bookcase, the sideboard, the clock and several other articles of fur niture into folding beds he understands and wishes that he had brought along a few of his relations.

Flat living has one advantage for

lazy man-he can lie in bed and reach all over the house for what he wantsa book, a paper or his morning cup of



"Johnny, do you like to go in swin "Are you a detective hired by my

Force of Habit "Where can I find the exchange ed tor?" asked the confirmed journalis of the department store clerk."
"Wrong shop," replied the intelligent
clerk. "This is no think factory or
word painting joint."

"It must be the place," replied the onfirmed journalist. "They told me to ome up here and exchange a pair of hoes I bought yesterday for a size

Worse Than a Haunt.
"That house must be haunted. I no tice that people move out of it soon after they move in." "Perhaps it has a landlord wno massists on having his rent."

Lo: wed It.

"They say the French count soo has been making a fuss over is a raud." "I thought all along he was no

"Ryrie" Silver-Plated

Ware

Wearing quality should be the chief consideration

in selecting silver-plated tableware-and then comes beauty in design. Plate from Diamond

> Hall's own factory practically equals solid silver in its effect, both as to durability and artistic

For \$3.00 we will send prepaid one dozen teaspoons in a favored Old English pattern.

> RYRIE BROS. 134-138 YONGE ST. TOPONTO - ONT.

One Thing Lessing Did Dr. Max Ring, physician and auti who died some years ago in Berlin, where he was well known in society as a brilliant talker, used to tell how when a young man in the thirties of the last century, he learned that at Wolfenbuttel was still living Gotthold Ephraims, Lessing's housekeeper for many years, now in extreme old age. He at once undertook a pilgrimage to Wolfenbuttel in the hope of hearing something of interest as to the great poet's daily life and habits. He found he old dame, but she was uncommunicative. He could get nothing out of her. At last he asked, "Did Lessing smoke?" This question seemed to awaken unpleasant memories, for she answered with angry impatience, "He had nothing, he earned nothing, he was good for nothing, but he smoked the whole day long."

Good deeds grow in places where they are looked for the least.

### SICK HEADACHE

Many varieties of headache exist, those nost prevalent being sick or bilious headache, nervous headache, headache from

Headache is an effect of disease, the cry of the suffering body for relief from oppressing disorder.

Undoubtedly the cause must be rem

in order to cure the headach permanently. Wrong action of the stomach, liver or bowels is responsible for nine out of ten cases of headache.

In sick headache (a very common form) here is sometimes nausea and vomiting and usually constipation.

In nearly all forms of headache

### Burdock **Blood Bitters**

has proved itself a specific—a medicin that has cured where all others failed. Keep the stomach, liver and bowels in perfect working order by the use of nature's regulator and tonic, Burdock Blood Bit-ters, which cures all forms of headachs by

emoving the cause.

Miss L. Smith, Morrisburg, Ont., writes:
"I desire to let you know how much good
Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. Burdook Blood Bitters and the time, and could get no relief, until a friend told me of your Burdook Blood Bitters. After taking two bottles of it, I can say that I am completely cured."

B.B.B. is for sale at all druggists and general stores. Do not accept something "just as good."

Premier Scott Alleges Perjury.
Wolseley, Sask., Dec. 11.—Saturday
Premier Scott appeared on the same
platform with J. McInnes, editor of
The Regina Standard, and pledged himself to quit politics if he cannot disprove certain charges made by McInnes and for which a warrant for perterror for his arrost had been issued. jury for his arrest had been issued.

The Croup. It's a terrible thing, isn't it? Somehow, that awful cough, that hard struggle for air, can never be forgotten. Be a little fore-handed and prevent it. Keep Vapo-Cresolene in the house, and when the

children take cold let them breathe in the vapor during the evening. It goes right to the throat, just where the croup lies. All irritation subsides the cough quiets down and serious trouble is prevented. It never fails to cure whooping-cough. eceipt of price. A Vapo-Cresolene outfit, including resolene complete, \$1.50. Send for free illustrated MING, MILES Co., Ltd., Agents, 288 St James St., M

STOP TAKING DRUGS

R. C. WHISH, D. S. T. Wellington Street West CHATHAM Keep Minard's Liniment in the

WANTED-A good girl for general housework: no washing or ironing. Apply to Mrs. W. E. McKeough, King street west.

CANVASSER WANTED - At once for Chatham, to supply a regular line of customers with tea, etc. Apply, Alfred Tyler, Teas, London, Ont.

WANTED-A good girl for general housework; one that can cook; highest wages paid, without washing. Apply to Mrs. J. Piggott, La-WANTED-At once, a smart solici-

tor, salary and commission, either sex. Apply after 7 o'clock. R. Tipping, Queen St., next block to Rankin. WANTED - By Chicago wholesale

NAMED — By Chicago wholesate house, special representative (man or woman) for each province in Canada. Salary \$20 and expenses paid weekly. Expense money advanced. Business successful; position permanent. No investment required. Previous experience not essential to engaging. Address essential to engaging. Address Manager, 132 Lake Street, Chicago Ill., U. S. A.

TEACHERS WANTED.

WANTED-Teacher for S. S. No. Tilbury East; state salary. Address Hy. Atkinson, Stevenson, Ont

FOR SALE—100 acres all under cul-tivation, Creek Road, Harwich; \$50 an acre on easy terms. D. R. Mc-Garvin.

TEACHER WANTED—For S. S. No. 12, Raleigh, male or female. Ap-ply, stating salary and qualifica-tions, to George Davidson, Chat-VANTED-Teacher for S. S. No. 14

Dover; experienced one who can speak and teach English and French; duties to commence Jan. 1; state salary. Address Napoleon Brown, Big Point. FOR SALE OR TO RENT.

TO RENT-A suit of rooms with modern conveniences in the Glenn Block, William street. Apply to S. Glenn & Son, William street.

For SALE OR RENT-Large frame house for rent or sale. on Grant St. Apply to Thos. Scullard, Victoria Block. CABINET FOR SALE-Four drawer

card cabinet that has never been used, is for sale. Apply at this office. FOR SALE-A handsomely upholster

ed cosy corner for sale cheap, with picture moulding on two sides. Apply at this office. DESIRABLE APARTMENTS TO RENT—A flat containing seven connected rooms, with modern con-veniences, including bath room. Ap-

ply to the Chatham Loan and Sav-ings Company. HOUSE FOR SALE-A house Grant street, and house and lot on Victoria avenue. For particulars apply to Thomas Scullard, Victoria Block.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE-Lot 60 x 208 feet, situated on Welling ton street west, house two stores frame, eight rooms, furnace, bath-room, electric light, gas for cook-ing. Apply to J. R. R. Cathcart

ARM FOR SALE-150 acres of clay FARM FOR SALE—150 acres of clay land, good brick house and outbuildings; good clean farm with fences almost new; about 36 acres of fall wheat, looking good; 37 acres of meadow, good catch; fall ploughing done; balance good pasture land; lots of water; within three-quarters of mile of electric railroad; one of the best farms in the County of Kent. For full particulars apply on the premises, lot-24, concession 7, Dover, or address Chatham P. O. Grant Bros.

FOR SALE

First Class New House, near Market. Price Moderate.

Two new Cottages near factories, \$850.00 House and large lot on Park St., \$400.00 Fifteen acres lan adjoining city at a

Fire Insurance and Money to Loan Apply to E. E. Parrott & Son, Real Estate Dealers and Auctioneers, Of-fice Scane Block. Chatham.

FORSALE POULTRY BUSINESS FOR SALE

AT A BARGAIN Two hundred chickens, mostly young stock, barred, Buff and White Rocks, White and Silver Wyandottes, four incubators, all new, a lot of brooders, two poultry houses, one 25 feet long, one 96 feet long. Will be sold cheap as 1 am going out of the business.

THOS. M. FRENCH. Dover Fruit and Poultry Farm.

FARM LANDS FOR SALE

The undersigned offers for sale by tender, lot No. 17, in the 6th conces-tion, Dover East, 200 acres, more or oas.

Tenders will be reseived up to let January, 1906, for the whole lot, or for parcels of 50 or 190 acres each. The land is of the finest, much of it is new, and very suisible for astock farm. There is a bush on each 100 acres. Suitable farm buildings are also for asle.

The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Address the owner, Alexander Macrarlane, Victoria Avenue, Chatham MEDICAL

OBS. AGAR & AGAR—Physicians and Surgeons, successors to Dr. Type, King Street West, Chatham, each, Dr. J. S. Agar. Dr. Mary Agar.

DENTAL.

DR LUKE SMITH, DENTIST.

Crown and Bridge Work Specially cited. Cor. Thomes and Victoria Ava LODGES PARTHENON LODGE, No. 267, A. B.

& A. M., G. R. C.; first Wednesday, Masonic Temple, King St. J. SMITH, W. M. J. W. PLEWES, See.



ALEX. GREGORY. See'v. A. E. JEWETT. W. M.

LEGAL.

ham, Ont. Money to loan at lessent rates on easy terms.

THOMAS SCULLARD-Barrister and Solicitor, Victoria Block, Chatham, Oat,

SMITH, HERBERT D. — County, Srown Attorney, Barrister, Solicis-ter, etc. Harrison Hall, Chathem,

4 B. O'FLYNN-Barrister, Solioiter, ets., Conveyancer, Motary Public, Office, King street, opposite Mem-shants' Bank, Chatham, Ont-COUSTON & STONE-Barristers, son (OUSTON & STONE—Barristers, sub-histors, conveyancers, notaries pub-lis, etc. Private funds to tess as lowest current rates. Office, up-stairs in Sheidrias Block, opposites H. Malcolmon's store. M. Hous-

ton, Fred. Stone WILSON, PIKE & GUNDY-Barris ters, Solicitors of the Supreme Sourt, Notaries Public, etc. Money to loan on Mortgages at towers rates. Offices, Fifth street, Mat-thew Wilson, K. C., J. M. Pike, W. E. Gundy.

MONEY TO LOAN

MONEY TO LOAN - Company and Private Funds. Farm and City, Property for Sale. W. F. Smith,

MONEY TO LOAN-On land mort gage at very lowest rate of in-terest. I also have several farms for sale. Apply H. Dagnieau, of-fice over Dr. Rutherford's office.

HENRY DAGNEAU.

FOR SALE FOR SALIS

Choice Dover farm in 11th concession, containing 100 acres, good buildings, 87 acres under cultivation, balance in pasture. This is a first clast farm. Price \$6,500 if sold at ones, Also 33 1-3 acres in the 6th concession with first class buildings at a bargain. For particulars call upon Smith & Smith, real estate and insurance agents. surance agents.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Money to Loan

-ON MORTGAGES-4 1-2 and 5 per best. Elberal Terms and privileges to Borrowers. Apply to LEWIS & RICHARDS

\*\*\*\*\*\*\* \*\*\*\*\* CEMENT BLOCKS CEMENT WALKS

Works Opposite McKeough's. School House DONIBEAR & OLEMEN'S ST. CLAIR ST. CHATHAM.

Contracted, for at lowest prices

+++++++++++++++++++ \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* WE HAVE ON HAND

A LARGE SUPPLY OF Lime, Cement. Sewer Pipe. Cut Stone,

& Etc. All of the best quality and at the lewest por Prices.

J. & J. Oldershaw, A Few Doors West of Post Operan .......

DRAL AT THE ..

People's Grocery and you will be pleased and save money. Everything guaranteed

R. REAUME.

Cor. St. Clair and Head St., across f the Aberdeen Hotel, North Chathar Plaone 48;. Minard's Liniment Cures I

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

CHRISTMAS

What most men want

for Christmas is some-

thing that they can wear

-Suit, Overcoat, Rain-

coat. Trousers, Neckwear,

or any of the Numerous

Articles you can select so

well from Our Haber-

dashery Department. An

Overcoat or Suit would

ADMIRABLE

CHRISTMAS GIFT

cheerfully make any exchanges or refund your money after Christmas.

COME TO A MAN'S STORE FOR

A MAN'S CHRISFMAS.

•<del>••••••</del>•••••

A Ripple In Hogs.

overnment at Ottawa to-day, the out

nterest by the Canadian farmers.

make an

Shirts, Underwear, Gloves,

A MAN'S

wm Foreman & Co.

Milinery

## Do Your Christmas Shopping Here

If it is useful gifts you wish to give for Christmas. And if those gifts are in the Dry Goods line, make this ctore your headquarters for your Christmas shopping.

There is more than one reason for doing your Christmas shopping at this store. You not only get the latest goods, but you get goods of the highest quality, and goods that are invariably exclusive, if you do your shopping

A gift that is common—that everybody has—is not appreciated to the same extent by a lady as one that she knows to be uncommon as well as good.

In the selection of goods we aim for three things. First that the line of goods are of the highest quality; secondly, that so far as possible they are exclusive, and thirdly that the price is at the lowest notch.

Wm. Foreman & Co. <del>\*\*\*\*</del>

Will Play Santa Claus to their Customers by a

### 20PERCENT REDUCTION

All Table Cutlery, Pocket Cutlery, Carvers, Carving Sets, Spoons, Silverware, Graniteware, Heating Stoves, Cook Stoves, Mitts, Robes, Horse Blankets.

## DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY

BARGAINS FOR EVERYBODY

Westman Bros. BIG HARDWARE

\$1500 Worth of Shoes for Sale . .

We have bought the stock of A A. Jordan's Boots and Shoes, d offer them at a great sacrifice and offer them at a great sacrifice
450 pairs at a clearing of 50c,
including Ladies', Misses' and
Children's, at a bargain. From
\$3.50 to 95c, sold at 50c. a pair.
Also 200 pairs Men's Shoes,
all sizes, at \$1.00 to \$1.25, regular price \$3.50 to \$1.75.

40 pairs Men's Blucher, regular price \$1.25 for 75c.

Men's Rubbers at 45c.; Shoe
Laces 5c, Doz.; a big assortment.

Men's Rubbers at 10c., Saccases 5c. Doz.; a big assortment actions Socks at 50c, regular crice 75c. to \$1.00; Mackinaw Rabbers sold at low prices.

M. SHAPERO, 49 King Street, Opp. the Market \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

THE INS AND OUTS.

London, Dec. 12.—The Balfour Cab-inet is now a thing of the past. The dutgoing Ministers gave up their seals of office to King Edward at a meeting of the Privy Council in Buckingham

of the Privy Council in Buckingham Palace at noon yesterday.
At 3.30 p. m. the Liberal Ministers took over the seals.

Premier Campbell Bassermas announced these appointments yesterday:
Gebrge Whitely, Liberal member of Parliament for the Pudsey Division of Yorkshire, as chief Liberal whip.

Hon. Charles Robert Spencer, heir to and half-brother of Earl Spencer, as Lord Chamberlain. He will go to the House of Lords with the title of Lord Althrop.
1 The Marquis of Bute, as Secretary of Foreign Affairs,
John Lawson Walton, M. P., as Attorney-General.

It is expected that Winston Churchil M. P., will be appointed Under Secretary for the Colonies.

Work in your youth.

#### RUSSIA'S ALTERNATIVE

Revolution or Coercion Accord ing to Premier Witte.

In Interview the Count Reviews Events and Says He Will Resign Rathe ists Alone of All the Masses In Russia Consistent - Unitedly They Worked In Own Cause.

London, Dec. 12.—The correspondent of The Daily Telegraph at St. Petersburg, in a despatch dated Dec. 10, sent by way of Eydtkuhnen, East 10, sent by way of Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, sends 22 interview with Count Witte, in which the Premier indicates that Russia is confronted with the alternative of a revolution or violent coercion. Though the Count has not abandoned hope he is not sanguine; and if forcible repression should become necessary he will, according to the correspondent, resign his task to other hands.

Premier Witte attributed the rapid development of the revolutionary

development of the revolutionary movement to the grant of autonomy to the universities and the high schools, where the revolutionary forces, hitherto doomed to secrecy, found asylum and sanctuary and absolute freedom for discussion. Further, when this freedom became license society still leak dom became license, society still loo ed on with stolid indifference. Pr

"On my return from Portsmouth, found the country in a difficult pos tion, from which there were only two issues. The problem was thorny and fateful, but after long and careful deliberation the Emperor acted on his own initiative and never doubting that he could build upon the moral courage and the political read access. courage and the political good sense of the majority of his subjects, took the course of issuing his manifesto of Oct. 30, not only with alacrity but

Results Surprising.

Results Surprising.

"Clearly the vast changes which the manifesto heralded required time and patience to carry out, but what happened was utterly unexpected. Sections of the statement of t tions of the community—nay, the whole classes—went to work systema-tically to annihilate their means of livelihood and ruin themselves and the whole nation. Social instincts ed to have become atrophied. In stead of uniting to preserve order, the people quarreled among themselves and attacked the Government. "The only people who acted in their own interests were the revolutionists.

who knew what they wanted. They chose the most effective means to attain it, and they are capable of adopting these means even at the price of heavy sacrifices. The revolutionists hide all their quarrels and animosities and act together for the action. and act together for the end they hav in view, which spells destruction. Ou of the resultant chaos they promise a new world and an earthly paradise." Force Shows Weakness.

After admitting that the manifester had indirectly intensified the revolutionary movement the Premier said: "Unfortunately the people at large take the view that it is the Government's husiness to realize constitutional prime." business to realize constitutional prin-ciples and to fight revolution. Doubt-less, the Government can employ force but force is only an evidence of weak-ness, unless it is levelled by the social

ness, unless it is levelled by the social conscience against the public enemy. If a community will not struggle against anarchy, no Government can successfully cope with it."

Count Witte contended that the same argument applied to strikes. With regard to the Jewish question, he said it was impossible at the present moment to proclaim equality of rights, because such a measure would provoke appalling bloodshed.

Truly Serious.

against anarchy, no Government can successfully cope with it."

Count Witte contended that the same argument applied to strikes. With regard to the Jewish question, he said it was impossible at the present moment to proclaim equality of rights, because such a measure would provoke appalling bloodshed.

Truly Serious.

In conclusion the Premier said: "Unless all elements of society abandon their own differences of opinion and join hands to assist the Government in checking anarchy and in carrying out the Emperor's manifesto, the situation may be regarded as truly disquieting and serious. With the moral help of the community and with the efficacious measures of the Government, all may yet be righted, but without that help anarchy will continue, until finally the nation may demand the suppession of revolution by force, and then it is not nation may demand the suppession of revolution by force, and then it is not impossible that the principles embodied in the manifesto may be repealed or suspended."

No Coercion.

No Coercion.

To the query: "Is Your Excellency prepared for recourse to coercion?" Count Witte replied: "If this alternative comes to pass, it will be confided to somebody qualified to assay it. I assuredly am not so qualified. In this matter I am devoid of the requisite qualities and disposition."

qualities and disposition."

Harbin In Ruins. New York. Dec. 12.—According to The American yesterday morning. The London Daily Telegraph's advice from Moji, Japan, telling of the bombardment of Harbin by Russian military mutineers, says also that Irkutsk was burned and sacked. The city is in ruins. In Harbin the rebels created fearful slaughter.

slaughter.

Gen. Madriloff, commanding the loyal troops, engaged the rebels. The information brought by British refugees to Moji tell of desperate fighting, accompanied by heavy losses on both sides.

Was Short £2.

Montreal, Dec. 12.—James Sugden, a Liverpool merchant, was arrested here a month ago on a warrant that he was wanted in Liverpool on a charge of leaving the country with money belonging to his creditors. The bankruptcy law allows his arrest and extradition, but when he arrived here he had only eighteen pounds in his pocket. The law requires that he must have twenty pounds or more and the prosecution claimed that the price of the steamship ticket, twelve pounds, must be added to the eighteen, Commissioner Lamontaine decided against this contention and dismissed the accused. Was Short £2.

Counterfeit Bills.

Detroit, Dec. 12.—Counterfeit \$10 bills of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and of the defunct Mechanics Bank of Canada, are in circulation in Detroit, though only a few have been detected so far.

Close Higher-Live Stock Markets -The Latest Quotations.

Following were the closing quotation yesterday at this market: Dec. 76%c, Jan 76%c, May 80%c. THE VISIBLE SUPPLY.

LEADING WHEAT MARKETS.

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

New York, Dec. 11.—Butter—Firm; receipts, 4706. Street prices: Extra creamery, 24c to 24½c. Official prices: Creamery, common to extra, 15c to 24c; state dairy, common to extra, 15c to 20c; western factory, common to firsts, 15c to 17½c; western mitation creamery, extras 18½c to 19c; do., firsts, 17½c to 18c.

Cheese—Steady; receipts, 1006; state, full creamery, small and large, colored and white. September, fancy, 13½c; do., October best, 12½c to 13c; do., late made, average, best, small, colored and white 11½c; skims, full large, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full large, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full large, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full large, 12c; do., fair, see, extra 12½c; do., mit and distributed to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the to 11½c; skims, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the total larges, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the total larges, full larges, 12c; do., fair, the total larges, full lar A Ripple in Hogs.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—For years the privilege of importing American hogs in bond has been in the Canadian statutes, but last week the right was withdrawn suddenly, much to the discomfiture of the hog packers who have been relying on this source of supply as a means of keeping their plants in full running capacity and incidentally as a leverage to prevent any possible soaring in Canadian hog prices. A delegation of the most important packers in the province will interview the Government at Ottawa to-day, the out-

Going Home For Christmas. with the largest number of

er line has ever carried, going east-ward, in one trip, the number being Elegant Cabinet Photos

Of His Excellency The Right Honorable Sir. Albert Henry George, Earl Grey, GOVERNOR GENERAL OF CANADA

For all users of the Celebrated Diamond Dyes.

Wells & Richardson Co., Limited, 200 Mountain Street, Montreal, Que

TROUBLE ON PERSIAN BORDER.

5,000 Armed Men Threaten to invade
Turkish Territory.

Constantinople, Dec. 12.—Trouble is
threatening on the Turko-Persian
frontier, at the Vilayet of Mosul, and

frontier, at the Vilayet of Mosul, and in the neighborhood of Bayazid, on the frontier. Those points have never been exactly delimited.

Five thousand armed Persions are now gathered in the district of Sujbulak, southward of Lake Urumiah, and they threaten to invade and take possession of a strip of territory in the Vilayet of Mosul, claimed by Turkey.

Two battalions of Ottoman troops, with three guns, have been despatched to repel the invasion, and the Covernor to repel the invasion, and the Coverno of Mosul is calling for more reinforce

A similar situation exists on the frontier in the neighborhood of Bayazid.

It is generally easier to discharge a duty than a cook.

It is not well to judge an individ-ual's worth by the way that person presents it to you.

Bad management usually mas-querades under the more pleasant title of bad luck.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* ASK YOUR GROCER

-FOR-RED FEATHER TEA.

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*

#### THE MARKETS.

Liverpool and Chicago Wheat Futures

Monday Evening Dec. 11. Liverpool wheat futures closed to-day unchanged.
At Chicago, May wheat closed 1/4c higher than Saturday, May corn 1/4c lower, and May oats 1/4c lower. WINNIPEG OPTIONS.

Dec. 11, '05. Dec. 10, '04
34,329,300 37,180,00
7,702,000 4,565,000
24,835,000 24,201,000
decreased 2,243,900 bushels during
corn increased 1,311,000 bushels
decreased 307,000 bushels.

TORONTO PRODUCE MARKET.

LIVERPOOL GRAIN AND PRODUCE Liverpool, Dec. 11.—Wheat—Spot steady; to. 2 red western winter, 6s 7d. Futures teady; Dec. 6s 11%d, March 7s 0%d, May s 10%d. Spot quiet; American mixed, 4 Futures dull; Jan. 4s 4%d, Marc

NEW YORK DAIRY MARKET.

Cables Steady-Cattle and Hogs Are Easier at Chicago.

Dec 11.—Cattle are quoted a per 1b.; refrigerator, 94c to 9% TORONTO JUNCTION LIVE STOCK Receipts of live stock at the Junction Market and fat stock show to-day were arge—105 carloads, consisting of 2206 cat-tile, 224 sheep and lambs, 172 hogs and 9 salves.

Exporters.

Prices were firm for all well-finished shipping cattle, ranging from \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt; choice picked or selected Christmas cattle sold at \$5.25 to \$5.50 per cwt, but there were few brought-the latter price, Bulls sold at \$3.25 to \$4.25 per cwt. There were not enough good exporters to supply the demand.

were not enough good exporters to supply the demand.

Butchers.

Choice, well-fin.shed loads of Christmas butcher cattle sold at from \$4.60 to \$5.15 per cwt.; fair to good loads at \$4.25 to \$4.40; choice picked lots at \$5.50 to \$6; by there were few at these prices and they, were prime in quality. Common butcher cattle sold at \$3.25 to \$4 per cwt.

Milch Cows.

Trade was good, with prices firm for milch cows at \$40 to \$60 cach.

Veal Calyes.

Wesley Dunn bought 15 mal calves at \$9 cach, or \$5.50 to \$6 per cwt.

Sheep and Lambs.

Wesley Dunn bought 30 sheep and \$5.55 for dambs, that being the average price.

Hogs

H. P. Kennedy reports prices as unchanged at \$6.40 for selects, fed and watered; lights, \$6.15; sows, \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

MONTREAL LIVE STOCK.

Montreal, Dec. 11.—(Special)—Cables from Liverpool and London on Caundian cattle were stronger and horded an advance of ½c per lb., with sales at 10e to 11e.

Sheep were steady at 12c. Shipments of cattle from Portland and St. John, N.R., last week were 2485, sheep, 400. Receipts to day were 800 cattle, 25 milch cows, 300 sheep and jambs, 100 calves, 500 hogs.

The butchers were out strong and trade was good at firm prices all round, Prime beeves sold at 4½c to 4½c per lb., pretty good at 3½c to 4e and the common stock at 2½c to 3c. Some of the milch cows were very fine, which sold at \$50 to \$90 cash, the others at \$30 to \$45 each. Grass fed calves sold at 2½c to 3c per lb, Young veals at 3½c to 4½c. Sheep, sold at 4c to 4½c per lb.

Good lots of fat hogs sold at 6½c to 6%c per lb.

EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET EAST BUFFALO CATTLE MARKET.

East Buffalo, Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receipts.

1500 head; fairly active and 10c to 20c lower; Christmas cattle \$6.25 to \$6.75; prima

steers, \$5.25 to \$5.70; shipping, \$4.00 to

\$5.10; butchers, \$4.25 to \$5; helfers, \$8.25

to \$4.60; cows, \$2.25 to \$4; bulls, \$2.50 to \$4,

stockers and feeders, \$2.00 to \$4.25; stockhelfers, \$2.25 to \$3; fresh cows and springers steady, \$20 to \$60.

Veals—Hecelpts, \$00 head; active and 25c

lower, \$5.50 to \$9.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 24,000 head; fairly active; 5c lower; heavy, mixed yorkers and
plgs, \$5.15 to \$5.20; a few, \$5.25; roughs,

\$4.25 to \$4.50; stags, \$3 to \$3.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 18,600 head;
active; sheep steady; lambs 15ce higher;
lambs, \$5.75 to \$7.90; yearlings, \$4.50; to

\$8.75; wethers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$5.50 to

\$8.75; whethers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$5.50 to

\$8.75; whethers, \$5.50 to \$6; ewes, \$5.50 to

\$8.75; sheep mixed, \$2.50; to \$5.75; Canada

lambs, \$7.50.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK. deep and Lambs Receipts 11 156; sheep dy: lambs firm and higher than Satursheep, \$3.50 to \$5.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$6.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$6.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$6.50; culls, \$2.50 to \$6.50; culls, \$8.50 to \$6.50; culls, \$8.50; culls, \$8.50;

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chleago, Dec. 11.—Cattle—Receptis, 38, 000; Re to 20e lower; consume to prime steers, \$3 to \$7; stockers and feeders, \$2.15 to \$4.25; culves, \$2.10 \$7.75;

Hogs—Receptis, \$8,000; 36.50 10e lower; Hogs—Receptis, \$8,000; 36.50 10e lower; Hogs—Receptis, \$4.50 to \$4.85; but chers, weights, \$4.80 to \$4.87; 4.80; but chers, weights, \$4.80 to \$4.87; 4.80; pack ets. \$4.75 to \$4.80; yearlings, \$6 to \$6.75; lambs, \$7 to \$7.75;

## TAKE TIME BY THE FORELOCK

And do your Christmas shopping now. We are ready and our stocks are ready with everything we will have for Christmas, so there is nothing to be gained by waiting.

While we want you to watch this space, watch our windows, watch the one on King Street, one of the finest in Ontario. You will see some lightening changes there from now till Ohristmas that will suggest a hundred gifts for men you never even thought of. Most of them will be price marked, too



If you don't see what you think you want in the windows, step in side and ask for it. We will likely have it if its for a man or boy. In fact you can't afford to pass this store if you are a Christmas shopper, and of course you are, everybody is.

Here are a few suggestions in things that we think will make suitable gifts, and in each of which we are showing a magnificent range.

#### GLOVES

In all shades of wool, kid and mocha in correct shades, untined wool lined, fur lined, 50c. to \$3.00 Boys' lined and unlined gloves MUFFLERS

A most comprehensive showing in all shapes, shades and styles, Squares, Oxfords, Ways' Wool Mufflers and the Earl Gray, an entirely new one, 50c to \$5.00.

especial attention at Christmas. We are showing some striking novelties in handles and mountings. Also the suit case umbrella, which will fold up and fit in a valise. \$1 to \$5 CANES

Are entirely new stock with us. Our buyer picked them up when looking for novelties in New York a fortnight ago. Of course he got what's down there. They run from 50c. to \$3.00.

#### NECKWEAR

It goes without saying that we set the pace in neckwear, for volume, variety and value. Thousands to choose from, in every shape and shade-25c, to 75c. COIN JEWELLRY

Another novelty, have you seen it? Tie pins, cuff buttons, watch fobs, made from real coins, with the Kings head accentuated with a die. Here's your chance to give something really new, 50c to \$2.50.

We can't tell you here half what we know about things for Christmas, or a tenth of what a look through our stocks will suggest.

## Thornton & Douglas, Ltd

## GRAND OPERA

MATINEE, COMMENCING PRIDAY, D C. 1

\$10,000 EQUIPMENT MOVING

PICTURES VITAGRAPH COMPANY.

More Laughs to the Minute Than Yo Have Enjoyed in a Month, FRICES : 15c, 25c, and 35c. MATINEE : 10c and 25c.

## THE ENSIGN REMEDIES

RHEUMATISM

Sold by Druggiets. Central Drug Co., Chatham.

## Confectionery...

Having purchased the business of Wm. Somerville, I desire to inform the public that with many years of experience is the business I shall maintain the same high standard of Confectionery the public have been getting and in this way I hope to retain the patronage of all old customers and secure new patrons to the store.

W. E. SMITH.

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* FURS At Less Than FURS Wholesale

\$28 00 Genuine Alaska Sable Scarfs, our price, 15.00 35.00 Mink Scarfs. 35.00 Empire Mink Muffe, 10.00 German Mink Scarfs (new design) 12.00 Columbia Sable Scarfs, 65 in. long Squirrel Lined German Otter Scarfs, Squirrel Empire Muffs, Squirre! Four-in-Hand Tie

AGAR & NEFF, Manufacturing Furriers, Scane Block, Upstairs, Furs Remodeled, Phone 472 \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*



\* Quality

Shoes Is every-thing— without it prices are meaning less. Often a little price means a bad bargain.

The one sure way to get, your money's worth in Boys' Shoes is to buy Our \$1.60, \$1.75 or \$2.00 Lines

The wearing quality is guaranteed, and the guarantee has the backing that makes good. Sizes I to 5.

ADVERTISEMENTS PAY

\*